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GENERALITIES.

MR. JEFFERSON DAVIS is vestryman in a Memphis church.

MINNESOTA and Wisconsin call for 1000 celestials each, from California.

THE hot springs of Arkansas have already over 400 visitors this season.

THE Masons of Cincinnati are to have a grand aquatic picnic on next St. John's day.

THE North German iron-plated fleet will cruise in the Atlantic in the summer as far as the island of Madeira.

THE Pilatka (Fla.) *Herald* says most of the winter visitors have gone north, and that many will return and settle.

THERE are eighty-four Masonic Lodges in the State of Kansas, and 3,122 members. There were 477 initiations last year.

IT IS stated that the Pope is about to create a new bishoprick in Pennsylvania, to be known as the Diocese of Reading.

THERE are of Odd Fellows in Indiana 363 lodges, with 17,323 active members. The resources of the lodges are $61,371,831.

A PAIR of runaway horses overturned seven hives of bees in Illinois last week, and the enraged bees stung them to death.

THE Wisconsin Leather Company's tannery at Milwaukee will, when completed, be one of the very largest in the United States.

ON the 20th there was received at Milwaukee 300 tons of iron ore and 120 tons of ore and 350 tons tons of pig iron were shipped.

A LARGE foundry and machine shop is to be located at Depere, Wisconsin, the village taking one-tenth of the stock in the company.

A RICH Englishman is said to be coming to America to give gratuitous Shakesperian performances to everybody except dramatic critics.

ROME CITY has one of the finest and most thorough and completely finished and furnished woolen factories in the State of Indiana.

THE New York *Revolution*, the woman's flash newspaper, is hereafter to be published by a stock company, Theodore Tilton being president.

A POLICEMAN named Eckart, in Cleveland, saw a small boy drowning in the river, and jumped in and hauled him out at the risk of his own life.

THE latest novelties in the way of engagement rings are sapphires set with diamonds—one large sapphire in the centre and a large diamond on either side.

A NUMBER of the prominent citizens in Indianapolis have proposed to organize a benevolent society in that city for the relief of the crippled and deformed.

THE Missouri has washed away about thirty rods of the bank on the Iowa side at Council Bluffs, this spring, and left a corresponding sand bank on the Omaha side.

IN a recent lecture, Anna Dickinson demanded, "Why was I born?" A thrill, and the question was repeated, when a horrid boy in the gallery sung out, "I give it up."

THE two Pereires are virtually bankrupt. They are to refund to the victims they swindled in so barefaced a manner the nice little sum of twenty-six million francs.

THE Columbus (Ohio) *State Journal* anxiously asks us, "If water is a beverage, what is to be done with the beer?" That is easily answered. The beer must be put down.

A NEW national comic paper is to be started in Dublin. It is to be called *Zosimus*, after a renowned and witty blind ballad singer who was contemporaneous with O'Connel.

"I SAY, ma," exclaimed a little minx of thirteen, "do you what the pyrotechnical remedy is for a crying infant?" "Gracious goodness me, no; I never heard of such a thing!" "Well, ma, it's rocket."

A NEW colony from Ohio—Miller's Co-operative—consisting of about three hundred members, have selected lands north of the center of Republican county, Kansas, and will soon lay out a town.

EDWIN FORREST has for fifty years trodden the boards, and ranted and cursed the unfortunates who were obliged to play subordinate parts, and now he thinks of retiring from all this sort of thing.

THE Cincinnati *Gazette* says: "A beautiful custom has recently sprung up among the infants of this Metropolis, of plunging headlong from the windows in the upper stories of the parental domiciles into the streets."

HENRY SOMERVILLE DIGBY and Charles Livingstone got into a drunken quarrel recently in New York. The knickerbocker thrashed the bearer of the patrician English name and repented of his sins in the Tombs.

"Edwin Drood" is in process of translation already, a second Enoch before it is able to stand alone. But a new novel of Dickens' is as anxiously expected in France and Germany as it is in England or America.

ONE of the best speeches made in either House of Congress this session was made the other day by Senator Ramsey, of Minnesota. He said: "Let us quit talking and commence voting." Only this and nothing more.

THE Duluth *Minnesotian* says that "quite a migration took place from Duluth the past week of settlers with their families to their homestead claims at the Rice Lake farming settlement, nine miles north west from this city."

VICTOR HUGO declares that the only question which the Emperor Napoleon has a right to address to the French people is this: "Ought I to leave the Tuileries for Vincennes and give myself up to justice?" To this the reply is given "Yes."

DURING the great Philadelphia hailstorm, a fortnight ago, a fine albatross was beaten down near Mount Holly, N. J., when it was captured. It measured five feet from tip to tip of the wings, and must have been brought a great distance by the storm.

THE following are the numbers of beats per second for the wings of each insect mentioned: The common fly 330, the drone 240, the bee 190, the wasp 110, the hawk-moth 72, the dragon fly 28, and the cabbage-butter-fly, which is inaudible, 9 beats per second.

CONFUCIUS, who lived more than five centuries before Christ, when asked by one of his disciples, "Is there one word which may serve as a rule of practice for all one's life?" replied: "Is not *reciprocity* such a word? What you do not want done to yourself, do not do to others."

A COLORADO critic apologizes for the short-comings manifest in his account of a recent performance, by saying that he was compelled to hang on to the gallery and let his feet hang down among the audience, and that all he could do was to interview the man who hung by his side and give his opinion.

THE bodies of Eli George and Rogers, drowned at Rock Point dam, Beaver county, were found about 3 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, the 21st. The funeral of George took place on Sunday, the 22d, at Slipperyrock cemetery, and that of Rogers at Greenwood cemetery, both attended by a large circle of friends.

GEN. HIRAM BARNEY, of Keokuk, has the largest vineyard in Iowa. In two different enclosures, within two and a half miles of Keokuk, he has seventy-one acres in grape vines, with fine oak posts and wire to train on. He has expended $34,000 on his vineyard, enclosing the ground, building tenant houses, &c.

THE St. Louis *Tribune* says that the people of Missouri care nothing about an agricultural school, but do care something about a school of mines, which they want to be located in the mining regions in the south-eastern portion of the State, and to be "a real, practical and thorough school, and not a pretentious sham."

M. BASSETT, colored Minister of the United States at the Court of Saget, at Hayti, waited upon him, on the 11th inst., to inform him officially of the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Saget replied with eulogistic remarks on the President and Congress of the United States, and said the people of Hayti would feel much closer allied to us on account of the amendment.

AT Waupun, Wisconsin, on Tuesday, Mrs. Harriet Wicks committed suicide by taking a quantity of Paris green. She was 62 years old, and was laboring under a temporary fit of insanity. On Thursday James Haddow, about 17 years of age, in the employ of Mr. James Clark, of Chester, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a shot gun.

HENRY BALDWIN went over the Rhine in Cincinnati on Sunday, and when he came back found his supper was not ready. This apparent neglect he punished by beating, knocking down and almost strangling the wife of his bosom before he flung her out of the window, which was twelve feet from the ground. Madame Baldwin, although badly bruised, was not seriously injured, and her loving spouse was so insane that he ran off for fear of the police.

IN Harrison, Winnebago county, Illinois, on the 14th inst., while several young men were playing croquet, a misunderstanding arose between a Mr. Shepardson and Geo. Lightheart. Mr. Shepardson's ball having rolled into a hole, he asked the privilege of moving it out of the hole so he could strike it. Mr. Lightheart insisted on his striking the ball as it lay. As Mr. Shepardson persisted in the privilege of moving it, Mr. Lightheart flew into a passion, and seizing his mallet with both hands, struck Shepardson on the head, smashing in his skull. Shepardson was not expected to recover and Lightheart was arrested.

A PUBLIC dinner given in Boston recently afforded opportunity for novel designs in the display of tempting viands. Wild ducks stood at the brink of miniature ponds, five by two and a half feet in size, bordered with moss and containing live trout. Snipes were standing by the edge of another pond similarly bordered and inhabited. Upon a pigeon-house, built of bark in rustic style and shaded by a willow, pigeons were perched. An enormous goose occupied the centre of the table. All these birds had their feathers on, and preserved a life-like appearance; but a touch of the knife removed the feathers and revealed cooked birds, ready for eating.

The Baltimore *American* says: Within the past three weeks three citizens of Baltimore have been stricken down by the hands of assassins. The first life taken was that of a respected German, Mr. Frederick Reufnacht, a quiet, inoffensive gentleman, who was murdered in cold blood by a gang of ruffians; next came the stabbing of Mr. Joshua S. Creamer, who was found on North Gay street, a few evenings since, with three cuts in his stomach and breast, inflicted by some unknown parties, and died yesterday, and now we have the third case to record, that of William Young, who was shot down in cold blood on Wednesday night, for the offence of being a black man. Something must be done to rid us of these assassins, who are prowling about with such freedom that no man's life can be considered safe. For the credit of the city we hope that the perpetrators of these deeds of blood will be brought to justice.

FOREIGN.

THE Leipzig *Gartenlaube* has 145,000 subscribers.

THE Emperor of Austria is in very feeble health.

SERRANO, the Spanish Regent, is an inveterate opium-eater.

THE King of Sweden intends to make a journey round the world.

FOURTEEN galley slaves recently escaped from the Bagne of Toulon.

THE King of Wurtemburg was recently swindled out of 40,000 florins by an American black-leg.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA the Second, of Spain, has purchased a palace in Marseilles for 300,000 francs.

ALFRED TENNYSON, the poet laurate, is going to spend the next summer on the banks of the Rhine.

THE King of Prussia has just contributed $20,000 toward building a hospital for Germans in Constantinople.

MARETZEK has promised Strauss' orchestra five hundred dollars for every night they play in the United States.

NAPOLEON III. does not smoke any more cigarettes. His doctors told him that it would kill him to do so any longer.

THE courtiers in Vienna ridicule the story about the betrothal of the French Prince Imperial to the Archduchess Ghisela.

DR. EVANS and the Empress Eugenie have recently quarreled, and the American dentist does not visit the Tuileries any more.

PRINCE NAPOLEON, incredible as it may seem, is said to be at work upon a history of Brutus, in which he defends him against the charges that have been raised against him for so many centuries.

THE King of Prussia has caused his name to be enrolled in the list of members of the German Association for the protection of emigrants at New York, with an annual subscription of $250 in gold.

SYRIA is haunted by old women who wheedle young ladies out of their beautiful hair under pretence that it is needed for the Holy Virgin, and then sell it at high prices. In Paris, too, young girls are exposed to the depredations of hair stealers. Notwithstanding many substitutes for hair, the genuine article continues in good demand.

THE house of Rothschild is about to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its settlement in Austria. They were the first Jews who, by a special permit of the Emperor, were authorized to own real estate in that country. Vienna papers state that Francis Joseph is about to celebrate the day by bestowing fresh honors on the head of that house.

THE attacks on the dogma of Papal infallibity from the most of the higher Catholic clergy are becoming more and more formidable. In a pamphlet published a few weeks ago by the Bishop of Rottenburg, it is shown that Pope Honorius was convicted of heresy by a council of bishops, and at that time the Pope was subject to the control of councils.

IT creates a great deal of surprise in diplomatic circles in Europe, that two of the minor Protestant princes of the North German Confederation, the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg and the Prince of Lippe, are received with the utmost consideration by the Pope and the whole Papal court. In fact the most distinguished honors are paid to the Grand Duke, whose administration heretofore has been by no means friendly to the Catholics.

A GENTLEMAN having paid a very high price for a very bad dinner, sent for the proprietor of the resturant who came, all smiles. The customer put his arms about him, embraced him, adding, "Adieu, Monsieur, I shall never see you again." A celebrated actor had ordered green-pea soup, it was served, but contained one pea. He took off his coat, but the waiter informed him no one was allowed to dine in shirt sleeves. "Oh," was the reply, "I am only going to swim for my pea."—Paris Cor.

THE shape of the whiskers which the officials of the Grand-duchy of Hesse is permitted to wear is strictly regulated by the Government. Moustaches and a full beard are considered as indecent, and a special permit of the Grand Duke is required before an official of that great country dare wear them. A few days ago the Government organ contained the notice that his Royal Highness had most graciously accorded the privilege of wearing a full beard to a prosecuting attorney in Maintz, named Falkner.

SINCE the death of General Grey, Private Secretary to Queen Victoria, it has transpired that her Majesty takes a very active part in the business of every department of the Government, and especially the War Office, the Admiralty, and the Poor Law Board. She writes out her views with a fullness that reminds one of Philip II., and the Private Secretary's business is to reduce her memoranda to official form. Some Froude of the future may find in the Victoria MSS. a mine of historical lore almost as rich as the archives of Simancas.

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XLIST CONGRESS,

(SECOND SESSION.)

[By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 24, 1870.

SENATE.

A memorial from the citizens of the Dominican Republic against annexation was objected to and not received.

Mr. MORRILL, from the Finance Committee, reported a joint resolution for the admission of foreign photographs free of duty for exhibition at the National Photographic Exhibition at Cleveland in June. Passed.

Mr. HARLAN addressed the Senate at length in support of the sale of the Osage Indian reservation in Kansas and the settlement of the said Indians in Indian Territory.

The Senate proceeded with the legislative appropriation bill, the question being upon the motion of Mr. Chandler to insert in the bill the entire river and harbor appropriations as an amendment to the motion of Mr. Sherman to appropriate $450,000 for the completion of the Louisville Canal.

After discussion both amendments were withdrawn.

Mr. DRAKE offered an amendment that no pardon or amnesty shall be admissable as evidence to establish the loyalty of any claimant in the Court of Claims, or otherwise affect a claim.

Mr. STEWART presented the report of the Conference Committee on the differences between the two Houses on the Fifteenth Amendment bill.

Mr. STEWART, in explanation of the report, said the amendment did not alter any essential feature of the bill, but simply harmonized them. In the eleventh and other sections the word "indictment" was inserted, in order to conform to the requirements of the eighth section, that where the offense is infamous the punishment must be by indictment; where not infamous it may be either by indictment or presentment of the Grand Jury. The thirteenth section had been amended to authorize the President to employ such part of the land and naval forces and militia as shall be necessary to aid in the execution of judical process issued under the act, instead of to prevent violations of the act, etc. Section tenth, providing penalties for unlawful registration at the election of Congressmen, had been amended by adding a proviso that every registration at which a representative or delegate in Congress may be elected shall be deemed a registration within the meaning of the act. This was to meet a suggestion that the penalties of the section against fraudulent voting, repeating, etc., related only to elections of members of Congress, whereas general tickets for State officers were voted in some States, and voters were registered, not simply for the purpose of voting for Congressmen, but for a general ticket. This proviso was entered to simplify the evidence by requiring, where a man fraudulently voted the whole ticket, that the burden of proof to show that the name of a member of Congress was upon the ticket should not rest upon the Government. If he votes fraudulently at an election where votes are taken for a Congressman, it shall be presumed he voted fraudulently for such person. Section 21st of the bill was drawn for a specific purpose. It authorized a candidate to go into the United States Courts and give effect to the votes of persons offering to vote at an election but who were denied that right by reason of race, color or previous condition of servitude. For instance, if in any Southern State a candidate for sheriff received one thousand white votes, and there were one thousand five hundred colored voters ready to vote for him, but excluded, he may go into court and have those one thousand five hundred votes counted for him. The Conference Committee had merely redrawn the section in more guarded language, so as to express this purpose more clearly.

After discussion, it was agreed a vote should be taken upon the report to-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. HALE introduced a bill for the reduction of Internal taxes. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. CULLOM, from Committee on Territories, asked to report a bill disapproving certain acts of the Idaho Legislature, including the act imposing a special mining tax on Chinese and Mongolians.

Mr. JOHNSON objected.

Mr. STOUGHTON, from Committee on Military Affairs, reported a bill removing the charge of desertion from soldiers who served their terms of enlistment and were honorably discharged. Passed.

The bill to revive American Navigation and Commercial interests was discussed at length. Several amendments were offered and the previous question seconded, when a vote on ordering the main question was taken, resulting, yeas 75, nays 97.

The morning hour expiring, the bill went over till to-morrow.

The House, by a vote of 90 to 8, refused to consider the South Carolina contested election case of Wall against Simpson.

The Committee on Elections reported on the Virginia contested case that McKenzie, sitting member, was entitled to a seat.

The Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill was considered in Committee of the Whole.

Mr. VOORHEES moved to omit Santiago De Cuba from the list of consulates, and had read a statement of the late Consul Phillips. He implored the members of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, who had access to the fossil or dead man who presided over the State Department, to tell him the blood of American citizens was crying from the ground for action against his imbecility, sloth and want of regard for the honor, glory and safety of this once great and honored Republic.

Mr. BANKS endorsed the correctness of Consul Phillips' statement. The Committee on Foreign Affairs was only waiting an opportunity to report on the subject. The facts stated, however, were only an additional reason why the Consulate should be supported instead of abolished.

Mr. LOGAN had felt for a long time the American Government was not doing its duty, and that its hesitancy was almost criminal. He was satisfied there would be no objection to a report when the Committee asked consent to make it.

Mr. BANKS expected a report would be made and acted on within a week or ten days.

Mr. LOGAN said what the country demanded was action on Cuban affairs. Outrages had been perpetrated in Cuba until the blood of American citizens cried out from the ground. The Government should show at least it had some sympathy with the struggling people of that island.

Mr. SARGENT attributed the inaction of our government to the refusal of Congress to put the navy on an efficient footing to vindicate the honor of our flag.

Mr. GARFIELD ridiculed the statement of Consul Phillips, and represented him as undeserving of credit, having despoiled his predecessor in office, Gen. Steadman, who died there, and evaded giving his widow and family an account of the circumstances of his death or making restoration of money and effects he had taken possession of.

Mr. LOGAN knew nothing about Mr. Phillips. One thing, however, was true, that American citizens had been shot and killed by blood-thirsty Spaniards in Cuba, and that American citizens were not safe there under the American flag. No government ever yet sat so quiet as the present administration while a struggle was going on between oppression and liberty. As to the inefficiency of the navy of the United States, if the United States had not permitted naval vessels to be supplied to Spain, there would not now be so strong a Spanish fleet in Cuban waters.

Mr. DAWES contended the navy had power enough to defend our flag in Cuban waters, and repelled the imputation that it was because Congress did not clothe it with power enough that it had not performed its duty.

Mr. MUNGEN favored the recognition of the billigerent rights of Cubans as all that is necessary to protect the Americans there.

Mr. BANKS repeated the Committee on Foreign Affairs would report at the earliest moment. He did not doubt the House would find the Committee determined to maintain the honor of the country.

Mr. MYERS, another member of the Committee, stated the Committee had done its whole duty, and it was under its advice naval vessels were sent to Havana and Santiago. If more vessels were necessary, and not sent, it was because there were but forty sea going vessels now to patrol the seas, and the difficulty to get them back from other seas.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Wilkinson, Garfield, Voorhees, Willard and others.

The debate closed and Mr. Voorhees' amendment was rejected.

Several other amendments of no public importance were discussed.

During the discussion a heavy hail storm passed over the capitol, causing, by the noise on the glass roof, an interruption of proceedings. The Committee rose and the bill was reported to the House and passed.

The House again went into Committee on the postoffice bill, which appropriates $24,110,093 from postoffice revenues and $25,000 from the Treasury.

After discussion on the letter carrier system, some members advocating an increase of pay to $1200, the Committee rose and the House adjourned.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Collision Between Express and Emigrant Trains on the Pennsylvania Road—Criminal Neglect of a Conductor—Brakeman Killed.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LANCASTER, May 24.—The Philadelphia Express train going east this morning plunged into an emigrant train going west which was standing at Leaman Place. The switch connecting the two tracks had been left open by the criminal neglect of the conductor of the freight train which passed over the road during the night, and the express train at sharp speed was led from its own track against the locomotive of the emigrant trains. The only person killed was a brakeman on the express train, Thomas Swaine, of Philadelphia. Two German emigrants were injured and sent to Lancaster. The baggage and express cars were thrown across the track and all the inmates escaped by jumping.

Terrible Storm in Iowa.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 24.—A terrible rain and hail storm passed over a portion of Allamader county, Iowa, last Saturday. Buildings were blown down, trees uprooted and cattle and hogs killed. There were rumors of the loss of several human lives. Many farmers will be obliged to do their planting all over again.

THE FENIANS.

General Movement of the Brotherhood for a Raid on Canada—Great Excitement in Vermont and Along the Border.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RUTLAND, VT., May 24.—Vermont is again all excitement over a projected Fenian raid on Canada. The excitement runs higher than at any time since the raid of 1866. Irishmen in various parts of the State are active and are proceeding in large numbers to St. Albans, where their numbers are being augmented by hundreds from the east and west, and especially from towns along the shore of Lake Champlain, in New York. A company of men numbering fifty passed through here last night *en route* for St. Albans. They came from Washington, Warren and Rensalaer counties, New York. Many more are expected up to-day. A company goes from this town, and several recruits from towns between here and Burlington. Large numbers of men have gone up Lake Champlain to be landed at St. Albans Bay, where others will join them from Rouse's Point, along the Canadian line. The authorities are vigilant in endeavoring to preserve neutrality, but it is deemed the movement has gained too much headway to prevent the crossing of the line by the Fenians and the committal of overt acts. Captain Lanegan, of the Fenian General's staff, is here hurrying men to the front. He expressed himself confident of the success of the movement.

MONTPELIER, VT., May 23.—The Fenians are in such motion along the line from Boston to the frontier, as to indicate that they mean business. There are rumors that large numbers of men are ready to ship from Boston, Manchester, Concord, and other points, where they are awaiting transportation.

ST. ALBANS, VT., May 24.—Trustworthy reports from Fairfield state that several teams have taken loads at the barns of Irishmen and driven toward the line. A company of forty-five men arrived from Burlington at nine o'clock in the evening, formed in military order, and took up their line of march towards Fairfield.

The Curlew, a small steamer on Lake Champlain, has been chartered to bring men from Fort Henry, and the railroad companies have been asked for a special train to bring one hundred and fifty more men from Burlington. One or two Fenian officers are in town directing operations, but they are so reticent that even their names cannot be ascertained. There are no government troops or militia here. The Deputy United States Marshal is looking after affairs, but as yet has had no occasion to interfere.

Undoubtedly there is a movement on foot to invade Canada. Hundreds of strangers are arriving and departing.

BUFFALO, May 24.—There is some activity among the Fenian leaders, and the men are being quietly concentrated at the different rendezvous here. It is impossible to say, at this time, where the invasion will be made. The first point attempted may be merely a blind. The frontier is lined with men. The United States steamer Michigan has taken up her position at Port Colborne, Canada, in the harbor, to protect the Welland Canal.

ROCHESTER, May 24.—A car load of Fenians ticketed for Malone passed through here this morning for the East. A few Fenians from the southern counties arrived last night over the Erie Railroad. The leaders of the Brotherhood here are very reticent regarding their movements.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 24.—Three car loads of Irishmen arrived here to-night on the midnight train of the Hudson Railroad, on their way up. They have all purchased tickets for the Rensalaer and Saratoga Railroad. They are without arms, but it is supposed they are all Fenians.

NEW YORK, May 24.—A large number of men, who boldly avowed themselves to be Fenians, left this city this morning for the northeast.

BOSTON, May 24.—Three hundred Red men, supposed to be Fenians, left on the northern trains yesterday.

MONTREAL, May 24.—The Government has received information of the threatened Fenian demonstration on the frontier. The news does not excite immediate alarm, except in connection with the Red River expedition. It is believed the frontier alarm is a feint to cover the attack on the expedition when it enters the wilderness, and to prevent reinforcements from being sent on.

Dispatches from Ottawa state that considerable alarm prevails about the fate of the Red River expedition. Riel is said to have received promises of Fenian aid on condition of the establishment of a separate and independent republic in the heart of the continent.

Immense Conflagration at Quebec—Telegraph Wires Cut—4,000 to 5,000 Fenians at St. Albans.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALBANY, May 24.—A Quebec special to the Troy *Times* says a great conflagration was raging there to-day. Over six hundred houses had been burned to the ground, and thousands rendered homeless. The Fenians had cut the wires, and no further particulars could be learned.

A White Hall special says four car loads of Fenians passed there to-day, and from 4,000 to 5,000 would be in St. Albans to-night, armed and equipped.

Another squad passed Poughkeepsie to-night for Malone. Others passed through Rome to-day, and the statement is made that Onieda county will contribute 1,000.

Telegraph Wires Cut—Removal of Accumulated Stores.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The *Times'* special from Ogdensburg says: Early this A. M. the telegraph cable across the St. Lawrence and land lines were cut by Fenians. Four car loads of Fenians arrived, going East.

At the Irish settlement in the town of Waddington the utmost activity prevailed all night. Large quantities of arms, ammunition, provisions, etc., have been stored there since last March, and last night these were moved for the rendezvous on the Canadian side. The excitement in the neighborhood is intense.

At Prescott the volunteers are drilling for defence. There are no regulars in that part of the Dominion. A battery has been ordered from Ottawa and will reach Prescott to-night.

The American Consul there endeavors to quiet the fears of Canadians with assurances that Gen. Sherman will arrive to-morrow with sufficient force to prevent invasion at this point.

Preparations to Oppose the Raid.

TORONTO, May 24.—There is considerable excitement here and throughout the country on account of the threatened Fenian raid. Active preparations have been made to oppose any attempt. Troops left Montreal to-night for St. Johns and the east front.

A dispatch from Buffalo says it is not unlikely a raid will be made on the Niagara front also.

The St. Catherine Volunteers, infantry and artillery, left for Niagara Falls this evening. The Windsor Volunteers are called out and the Grand Trunk Brigade at Montreal. A detatchment of Royal artillery left Ottawa for Prescott to-night.

The people along the line of the Welland Canal look to a dash at the locks as certain.

Expedition of Picked and Well Armed Men from Milwaukee---Contemplated Descent on Canadian Towns.

CHICAGO, May 24.—A Fenian expedition, it is positively stated here, is to leave Milwaukee to-night for the purpose of making a descent on Goderick, Canada West, with the intention of marching to Brantford. Col. O'Connor, an experienced officer, will be in command. The force is said to consist of picked men, all well armed and equipped.

A strong reinforcement left Chicago to-day for Milwaukee to be in time for the sailing of the steamer. There is considerable excitement in this city among the Irish population. A large number of well known Chicago Fenians have been missing from the city for the past week.

Five Hundred Fenians at St. Albans.

ST. ALBANS, May 24.—About five hundred Fenians arrived here by train. One or two hundred have come in from towns in the vicinity. These comprise the full force now on duty here.

They will proceed without delay to Franklin, Vt., about fourteen miles from here, and opposite Pigeon Hill, Canada. They have an abundance of arms, ammunition and artillery, and are under the command of Colonel J. J. Donelly. The Canadian Government has sent to Pigeon Hill this evening, to confront them, some fifteen cars of infantry and artillery. This force will reach its destination some time during the night. Warm times are looked for.

Movements at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 24.—About four hundred and fifty young men left for the east on the 6:20 train. Another large body move to-night.

A detachment arrived this afternoon from Sharon, Pa.; another came in from Columbus, Ohio.

A large reserve force is held here, it is supposed for the invasion of the neighboring frontier, if opportunity offers.

Very Little Excitement in Canada—Troops in Readiness.

MONTREAL, May 24.—Rumors of a Fenian raid are rife, but very little excitement is manifested. The troops did not turn out at mid-day. The volunteers were under arms, in readiness, if necessary, to move to the front.

Rumors at Detroit.

DETROIT May 24.—The city is filled with rumors of Fenian movements. To-night it is reported that two large barges, in tow of a tug and carrying about two hundred men, left the dock about eleven o'clock, but the rumor can be traced to no reliable source.

Fenian Meeting in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—The Fenians have a very large meeting at their armory to-night. The hall was packed and crowds in the street. The meeting was a secret one. What they propose to do has not yet transpired.

Steamboat Clara Sunk—Insurance in Pittsburgh Offices.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—The steamer Clara, which was sunk in the Missouri river yesterday, was owned by the Miami Star Line and valued at $45,000. She was insured for $5,000 in the Boatmans, St. Louis, $5,000 each in the Citizens, Eureka and Boatmans, Pittsburgh, and $2,500 each in the Allegheny, Peoples, Western and Monongahela, Pittsburgh.

A Balloonist Drowned.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MCGREGOR, Iowa, May 24—Mack Baker, of Cincinnati, who went out with balloon belonging to De Haven's circus last evening, was carried eastward by a slight breeze, and when over the river it descended rapidly, falling in the middle of the river, about a mile below town. Before boats which happened to be near the spot could reach him he was drowned. His body has not yet been recovered.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

THE CAPITAL.

Southern Trans-Continental Railroad—The Fenian Movement—Proclamation from the President—British Red River Expedition—Assassination in North Carolina, &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 24.

SOUTHERN TRANS-CONTINENTAL RAILROAD.

The House Committee on the Pacific Railroad authorized the chairman to report the Southern Trans-Continental Railroad bill. It provides for connection with other roads, placing all on an equal footing, and requiring uniform charges for freight and passengers, making them all practically one road.

THE FENIANS—NEUTRALITY PROCLAMATION.

The President has issued the following proclamation: By the President of the United States of America. *A Proclamation:* Whereas, It has come to my knowledge that sundry illegal military enterprises and expeditions are being set on foot within the territory and jurisdiction of the United States, with a view to carry the same from such territory and jurisdiction against the people and district of the Dominion of Canada, within the Dominion of Her Majesty, the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, with whom the United States is at peace:

Now, therefore, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do hereby admonish all good citizens of the United States, and all persons within the military jurisdiction of the United States, against aiding, countenancing, abetting or taking part in such unlawful proceedings. And I do hereby warn all persons that, by committing such illegal acts, they will forfeit all right to the protection of this Government, or its interference in their behalf, to rescue them from the consequence of their own acts. And I do hereby enjoin all officers in the service of the United States to employ all their lawful authority and power to prevent and defeat the aforesaid unlawful proceedings, and to arrest and bring to justice all persons who may be engaged therein.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this 24th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and the independence of the United States of America the 94th.

[Signed.]

By the President: U. S. GRANT.

Hamilton Fish, Secretary of State.

MINT SETTLEMENT.

The Secretary of the Treasury has authorized an addition of one million dollars in gold to the Bullion fund of the Branch mint at San Francisco during the annual settlement, to take place in June.

BRITISH RED RIVER EXPEDITION.

Secretary Fish has consented to the removal of arms and munitions belonging to the Canadian Government from Abercrombie up Red river, whenever the Canadian Government desires it.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President has nominated Gilmore Marston as Governor of Idaho; Charles C. Crowe, of Alabama, Secretary of Utah; James B. McKean, of New York, Chief Justice of Utah.

DINED WITH THE COMMITTEE.

Gen. Jordan dined this evening with the Committee on Foreign Affairs at the house of Representative Swann, a member of the Committee.

EX-SENATOR ASSASSINATED.

J. W. Stevens, ex-State Senator, was brutally assassinated in the Court House at Pelham, N. C., Saturday. The murderers are unknown.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARADE.

The South Washington Sunday School Union paraded to-day and were received by the President at the Executive Mansion.

INDIAN DELEGATION.

A delegation of chiefs of the Brule and Ogallalah Sioux arrived to-day with Captain Poole, agent of the Whetstone agency.

UNION LEAGUE.

The National Executive Committee of the Union League meets here next Tuesday.

WINNIPEG.

All Quiet—The Manitoba Arrangement Not Altogether Satisfactory.

[By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 24.—The Winnipeg *New Nation* of May 6th makes no allusion to the anticipated Indian troubles. The country is quiet and business is becoming active. The Provisional government had received information from its delegates in Canada that the Dominion government had agreed to nearly all the terms asked by the Winnipeggers and that everything looked well for a satisfactory settlement of all difficulties.

A *Tribune* special from St. Paul gives a private letter from Red River which reports that Reill, in a recent speech to his Legislative Assembly, declared that the Canadian act organizing the Province of Manitoba, was by no means a complete settlement of the existing dispute. The protocol sent to Canada by the Winnipeg Government has just been published. Most of the demands of this protocol are covered by the Manitoba bill, except one that the new province shall have control of the public lands. Riell also demands that no member of the Provisional Government shall be held responsible for any action leading to the present state of affairs, and for this no provision has been made by the Dominion Legislature.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

Meeting of the R. W. Grand Lodge.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—Right Worthy Grand Lodge of Good Templars met at the Temple building this morning. Delegates were present from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, California, Iowa, Wisconsin, Michigan, Georgia, Tennessee, Ohio, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Kentucky, Illinois, Nebraska, District of Columbia, Virginia and Canada. Secretary Spencer submitted a long report, which shows the order to be in a very prosperous condition. The number of Good Templar lodges in the United States, Canada, England and Scotland is 5,908, representing a membership of 359,027. The majority for degrees is 17,330, although the vote was very light. The Secretary strongly favors a national prohibition party, and urges a persistent effort in that direction, believing the battle of prohibition must be fought out at the ballot box. The Treasurer's report shows a good financial condition. The Treasurer urges the establishment of a weekly paper.

The delegates this afternoon visited Shaw's Botanical Garden and other places of note in the suburbs, and to-morrow evening will have a banquet.

QUEBEC.

Disastrous Conflagration—Thousands of People Rendered Homeless—Loss Over $100,000.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

QUEBEC, May 24.—A disastrous fire broke out this morning in the St. Roch suburb of Quebec, by which over 5,000 or 6,000 people are rendered homeless, and over one hundred thousand dollars' worth of property destroyed. The fire originated in a baker's shop, and although the troops were called out and efforts made to stay its progress by blowing up houses, all efforts were unavailing. Two ships on the stocks were also burned. A large number of houses were destroyed belonging to the better class, having been rebuilt after the fire of '66. Two men are missing and a number of accidents occurred. The homeless people are being lodged by the corporation and will be in great distress unless outside aid is received.

THE INDIANS.

Pursuit of the Railroad Raiders—Preparations for Defence in Dakota.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 24.—News was received here to-day that the Indians who made the recent attacks on white men on the line of the Kansas Pacific Railroad, had crossed the Union Pacific Railroad at Antelope station, on their way north. Several parties of troops are in pursuit of the savages, and the military authorities seem confident that they will soon be overtaken and punished. The party of Indians numbers about sixty.

A dispatch from General Hancock, who arrived at Fort Randall, Dakota, a few days ago, on a tour of inspection, states that preparations are being rapidly made for the better defence of that country against Indian depredations. The General, however, thinks there will be no serious collision between the troops and savages at present.

Upper Rivers.

[By Pacific and Atlantic Lines.]

BROWNSVILLE, May 24.—River stationary, with three and a feet of water in the channel; weather cloudy; thermometer 68 at five P. M.

OIL CITY, May 24.—River rising slowly with twenty-eight inches of water in the channel; weather cloudy; thermometer 68 at six P. M.

GREENSBORO, May 24.—River stationary with three feet three inches of water in the channel; weather showery; thermometer 66 at five P. M.

Attempt to Horsewhip an Editor.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, May 24.—Wm. H. Disney, an attorney, undertook this morning to horsewhip Joseph W. Miller, of the *Commercial*, for an article that Mr. Miller had written for the paper, reflecting, as he thought, on him. The attack was made in a street car, but the parties were separated very early in the engagement, and before much damage was done to either.

NEWS BY CABLE.

A Family of Five Persons Murdered in London—Search for Dr. Livingstone, African Traveler—The King Question in Spain—Source of Counterfeit American Securities Discovered.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, May 24.—Considerable excitement exists to-day over the brutal murder during the night of a family of five persons at Uxbridge. The family consisted of father, mother, a sister-in-law and two children. The sister-in-law was to have been married to-day, and it is supposed the murder was prompted in some way from this circumstance. There is no clue to the murderer.

Lord Clarendon announces a further grant in aid of an expedition in search of Dr. Livingstone, the African traveler.

A vessel recently left England for Hondurass with cars, engines, &c., for a new railroad building in that country.

The Cologne *Gazette* remarks the feeling of opposition to Denmark is gaining ascendancy in Iceland and threatens the separation of the island from the mother country.

The city is greatly excited over the massacre of a family in Uxbridge last night. A father, his mother, sister, wife and four children were killed. A rejected lover of the sister is suspected of the crime. He was seen hastily embarking on a train for London shortly after the discovery of the tragedy and has not been heard of since.

Minister Motley and members of his family attended the debate on the Greek massacre last night in the Lords. It was noticed they were in mourning for victims of the tragedy.

The Lords were to-day engaged wholly with local matters.

The celebration of the Queen's birthday is postponed until Saturday.

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 24.—The project of a law has been introduced in the Corps Legislatif for decreasing the salaries of members. The present salary is thirty thousand francs per annum. The new law contemplates a reduction of fifty per cent.

The committee of citizens, formed to promote the adoption of the plebiscitum, have decided to maintain their organization. It was necessary to obtain permission of the Government, and they applied to M. Ollivier. He, while complimenting them on their zealous and effective service in the election, was constrained to decline granting the authorization, declaring the Government could not sanction the creation of a permanent and irresponsible political body.

The number of cases of small pox in the city is increasing daily.

Detective Farley has discovered in Paris the source of the counterfeit American bonds which have been circulated on the Continent. He has seized the plates, but the counterfeiters have so far eluded him.

SPAIN.

MADRID, May 24.—*El Tempo* newspaper, in the issue of yesterday, said the Duke of Montpensier is very much annoyed at the course his adherents had taken. The Duke demands that his candidature be passed upon openly by the constituent Cortes, otherwise he will withdraw and publish a manifesto making a complete exposition of the acts of those parties who are compromised to him. It is now said Espartero has agreed to accept the crown of Spain, if the Cortes elect him.

MADRID, May 24.—The opinion is general that Duke Saldanhua is anxious to effect the union of Spain and Portugal.

BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS, May 24.—The Chinese Embassadors have concluded their negotiations with the Belgian Government and leave to-morrow for Florence.

MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, May 24.—The steamship Calabria, from New York, arrived this morning.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 24.—The steamship Rhein, from New York, touches here this morning.

LONDONDERRY, May 24.—The steamship Prussian, from Quebec, arrived to-day.

LIVERPOOL, May 24.—The Captain of a vessel just arrived from an American port reports that on Wednesday last, off Lands end, an explosion occurred on the Bark Asterias, killing the Captain and one sailor and nearly destroying the vessel.

LONDON, May 24.—The ship Mariano was sighted in distress May 7th, in the Indian Ocean. Twenty-one of her crew had died from starvation, and the remainder were in a dying condition.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, May 24—Evening.—Consols 94⅝. American securities firmer; '62s, 89⅝; '65s, old, 88½; '67s, 90¾; 10-40s, 86¾. Eries, 18⅝. Illinois Central, 110¾. Great Western, 28.

LIVERPOOL, May 24.—Cotton irregular; uplands 10¾a11; Orleans 11⅛; sales 1,000 bales. Breadstuffs firmer. Red wheat 8s 1d; red winter 8s 10da8s 11d. Receipts for three days, 12,500 quarters. American 11,000. Western flour quiet and steady at 20s 3d. Corn dull at 29s. Peas quiet and steady at 35s 6d. Oats 25s 5d. Manchester yarn fabrics quiet. Provisions firmer. Pork 102s 6d. Beef 116s. Lard 68s 6d. Cheese 74s. Bacon: 58s 6d for Cumberland; 64s for short rib middles. Naval stores firmer, but unchanged.

LONDON, May 24.—Sugar has a declining tendency.

PARIS, May 24.—The Bourse is quiet; rentes 74fr. 67c.

FRANKFORT, May 24.—Bonds quiet at 95⅝a95⅞.

HAVRE, May 24.—Cotton quiet at 128½ frs. afloat.

ANTWERP, May 24.—Petroleum firm at 52¾.

RELIGIOUS.

First General Assembly of the Reunited Presbyterian Church.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—The morning session of the Presbyterian General Assembly was occupied with further discussion of the reconstruction report. The final items on boundaries of Synods were acted upon. The Synod of Iowa (North) will comprise all the counties recommended by the committee. That of Iowa (South) will comprise the southern part of the State, with Nebraska and Wyoming Territory. The Synod of Missouri will be conterminous with the State. The Synod of Kansas extends over that State, Colorado, New Mexico and Indian Territories. The Synod of Pacific will embrace all west of the Rocky Mountains. That of India comprises all the missionaries and churches in that country. The item forming a Synod of the church was struck out, leaving connections with the American Synod as at present.

The general principles for formation of Presbyteries were agreed to, but no action taken on the boundaries up to the hour of adjournment.

In the afternoon a report was made that the accounts of the Church Erection fund were found correct.

The reorganization of Presbyteries and fixing the future boundaries was, by a vote of 283 against 180, remitted to the Synods.

Vice-President Colfax presided at the forty-sixth anniversary of the American Sunday School Union to-night. Speeches were made by Professor McCosh, of Princeton College, Rev. Brooks, of Tennessee, and Rev. Cheny, of Chicago.

Reformed Presbyterian General Synod.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—In the Reformed Presbyterian Synod the entire day has been consumed in the discussion of the question of union with the United Presbyterian church on the terms agreed upon by the Joint Committee, which was, substantially, that the churches should form an organic union on the basis of the principles contained in their respective testimonies and other subordinate standards, and that the name of church should be "United Presbyterian." The discussion was opened by Dr. McMaster, chairman of the Committee, who spoke one hour and a half. He traced the history of the union movement from 1838 down to the present time, urged the reasonableness of the terms agreed upon by the Joint Committee and the necessity upon the church to move.

In the afternoon Robert Grey, of Philadelphia, and the venerable Dr. Clark, of Nova Scotia, spoke in opposition to the proposed union. Both dwelt upon the venerable character of the Church, the purity of its doctrines and practices, and claimed that the reason she was not large was because the testimonies and usages were not so conformed to the customs of the world. Each spoke in great kindness of other members of the Presbyterian family, but thought it would not be best at present to consummate the proposed union.

Rev. M. Harshaw, of Illinois, followed in a speech that was listened to with marked attention, no less by the opponents of union than by its friends. His statements were made with so much candor, his appeals so earnest and touching, and his demeanor to the opponents so kind and considerate, that the union cause was strengthened. He said the Reformed Presbyterian Church commenced well, but its forces had been scattered—the descendants of the fathers of the church were not now with it, at least in the West. There was something the matter somewhere. Great agencies had to be employed in this age of the world. Colleges, schools and the press must be brought into requisition. We must have home and foreign missions. These agencies the United Presbyterian Church already had.

A recess was taken till half-past seven o'clock this evening, Mr. Morton, of the committee, having the floor.

Methodist Episcopal General Conference South.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, May 24.—In the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South—eighteenth day—the report of the Committee on Missions was continued. That portion declaring the action of Smithson, the Treasurer of the Foreign Board, in investing the funds in Erie stocks as a reckless, Wall street speculation, was discussed at great length without action. The report of the Committee on acceptance of *Bledsoe's Quarterly Review* also provoked an extended debate, during which one member said he understood Bledsoe was an Episcopalian, and this looked like a bid for him to come over. Another characterized the review as an Armstrong gun. Dr. Bennett said that experience had shown that the most disastrous consequences followed the explosion of a gun of large calibre, and thought an explosion would follow the adoption of the resolution which would shake the Church from pillar to dome. The report was finally adopted.

On motion of Dr. Miles, a resolution was adopted requesting the Bishops to issue a pastoral address on the subject of worldly amusements.

The report of the Committee on Missions, in reference to the organization of a consolidated Board of Missions, was taken up and discussed until the expiration of the morning session.

At the afternoon session, Bishop Paine presiding, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Bishops to organize Conferences in the interior of the General Conference not occupied by any existing Conference, after which the report of the Committee on Missions was again taken up, and the office of Corresponding Secretary stricken out. Other items were discussed at great length.

Presbyterian General Assembly South.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 24.—The most interesting discussion of to-day in the General Presbyterian Assembly was on the subject of lay-preaching. One of the boasts of the Presbyterian Church is the high standard of education required of her ministry. A year ago the Assembly authorized the licensing as exhorters men who had not received this thorough training. One of the Presbyteries requested that this authority be withdrawn, and the request gave rise to a lengthy, animated, earnest and able debate. This question comes up again to-morrow.

Nominations to fill the chair of Pastoral Theology in Columbia Theological Seminary, South Carolina, being in order, Rev. Dr. Jas. R. Wilson, of Augusta, Georgia, Rev. J. A. Lefever, of Baltimore, Rev. Dr. H. H. Hopkins, of Owensboro, Kentucky, and Rev. Dr. Jno. H. Rice, of Franklin, Tennessee, were nominated. The election will take place to-morrow.

At night an enthusiastic Home Missionary meeting was held and addressed by Revs. Rutherford, Boggs and Robison.

Revs. Vandyke, S. S. Backus and Wm. E. Dodge, delegates from the northern assembly to propose the opening of correspondence between the two bodies, arrived in Louisville this afternoon and will probably be heard in the morning.

ST. LOUIS.

Serious Fire—Republican Printing Office Destroyed—Total Loss $160,000.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—About half past eight this evening a fire broke out in the bindery department of the Missouri *Republican* office. The flames spread with amazing rapidity and in less than ten minutes the entire building was a sheet of fire, and at this writing nothing is left of the office but a mass of ruins. The losses are estimated as follows: one eight cylinder press $35,000; one four sylinder $20,000; job room $30,000; news room $10,000; bindery $10,000; paper, &c. $20,000; building $40,000; library, $5,000; total, $160,000. The four cylinder press, which was not in use, was in a fire proof vault and is probably safe. The large press may also be saved in a badly damaged state. The private library of Wm. Hyde, managing editor, valued at $1500 is also lost. The insurance is as follows: On building, Globe, Mutual and Pacific Insurance Company, St. Louis, $5,000 each; Missouri State Mutual, St. Louis, $2,500; North American, Philadelphia, $5,000; Buffalo, N. Y., $2,500; International, N. Y. $5,000, on stock, Laclede Mutual, St. Louis, $5,000; Home Mutual, St. Louis, $6,000; Missouri State Mutual, $5,000; Citizens Mutual, St. Louis, $3,000; Mound City Mutual, St. Louis, $5,000; St. Louis Insurance Company, $5,000; Lumbermens & Mechanics, St. Louis, $5,000; Citizens, Manhattan, Lamar, Security and Putnam, all of New York, $5,000 each; Firemens and Excelsior, New York, $2,500 each; Commerce, Albany, $5,000; Maryland, Baltimore, $2,500; St. Louis, Mutual and Tradesmens, St. Louis, $5,000 each. Total, $106,500.

The adjoining building on the south, occupied by A. Jubell & Co., notions and fancy goods, and Merchants Paper Collar Company, was badly damaged by water.

The queensware house of Heinke, Estelle & Co., North Main street, the rear of which joined the rear of the *Republican* office, took fire and was damaged about $25,000; the stock is valued at $60,000. Insurance about $25,000; offices not known.

The building owned by the *Republican* Company is insured for $5,000 in the Home Mutual, St. Louis, and $7,000 in Eastern companies.

The *Westliche Post* newspaper, on Chestnut street, opposite the *Republican*, was badly scorched, but saved by the firemen.

The *Republican* will issue a small sheet to-morrow, and thereafter continue publication as usual. The publication of the *Irish News*, which was printed by the *Republican*, will be suspended one week.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—The bonded debt of Louisana is $13,085,300.

—Philadelphia has contributed $14,136 to the Richmond, Va., sufferers.

—A very destructive storm visited Huntingdon county, New Jersey, on Saturday night, doing much damage.

—An immense fire took place in Quebec, Canada, yesterday. Five hundred houses and two new ships are reported burned.

—A plan for teaching female students has been adopted by the managers of the Pennsylvania Hospital, at Philadelphia.

—The house of John Allen, the "wickedest man in New York," is being demolished to make way for the Howard Mission.

—Over one hundred thousand bushels of grain are awaiting shipment over the California and Oregon Railroad, north of Marysville.

—Three laborers, Patrick Harrigan, Michael Mulvaney and Jeremiah Sullivan, were killed at Trenton, N. J., on Monday, by the falling of a wall.

—At the meeting of the American Baptist Missionary Union, at Philadelphia, the receipts of the year were stated at $200,953 and expenditures $220,560.

—The Board of Aldermen of Boston voted $40,000 to Col. Burrell, in full of settlement of his claim for obtaining soldiers and sailors towards the city's quota in the war.

—Chinese Companies in San Francisco have decided to discourage the emigration of their countrymen to California, and have drawn up a circular, to be posted in all the principal towns and cities of the Empire, for the information of all classes.

—Red Cloud and nineteen Chiefs and head men of the Sioux nation arrived at Ft. Laramie yesterday morning. John Richards with them. They came into the post on foot singing their native songs. They will probably reach Cheyenne on the 27th.

—A general convention of the Board of Delegates of the American Israelites was held in New York, Monday, Abraham Hart, of Philadelphia, President of the Association, occupying the chair. Delegates were present from all the principal American cities.

—By the arrival of the South American mails we have full details of the assassination of the South American General Urquisa, which took place on the 11th of April, in Buenos Ayres. The scene was frightful; the General was shot in the mouth by a band of his political opponents, who broke into his house. His two heroic daughters attempted to defend him, and the eldest killed one of the assailants. The murder was one of the incidents of the new rebellion now raging in the Argentine Confederation. General Lopez Jordan, who is son-in-law of General Urquisa, has surrounded the palace of San Jose with four hundred men. Upon killing of Urquisa the troops all marched upon Conception, where the legislature was then sitting, and surrounded the town, which, up to latest accounts, still held out.

Death of Bishop Kemper.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, May 24.—The venerable Bishop Kemper, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Wisconsin, widely known as the Pioneer Bishop of the Northwest, died at his residence on Nashatah avenue at two o'clock this afternoon, at the ripe old age of eighty-one.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 24.—Cotton dull and unchanged; sales 2,000 bales, receipts 3,033 bales, exports 6,598 bales, and stock 129,821 bales. Flour: superfine firmer, other grades easier at $5,25@5,75. Corn drooping; mixed $1.35@1.40; white $1.45@1.50. Oats, Bran and Hay unchanged. Mess pork firm at $31,25@31,50. Bacon unchanged. Hams 21@21½c. Lard, Sugar, Molasses, Whiskey and Coffee unchanged. Sterling 25½@25¾.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, May 24.—Flour unchanged, with sales 2,200 bbls at $5,75 for No. 1 spring, $6,50 for amber winter, $7,25 for white, and $5,75@8,00 for double extra, the latter chiefly at the outside quotation. Wheat in moderate demand, with sales amber winter at $1.25 for No. 1; sales Milwaukee Club on private terms. Corn held at $1.10 for mixed western and $1.03 for kiln dried.

CAMBRIDGE, May 24.—Cattle—Receipts 756; market less active, and prices ½c lower; extra $13a13,50, first quality $12a12,50, second $11a11,50, and third $10a10,50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 128; prices unchanged; sales in lots at $4a6, extra $6,40.

REAL ESTATE! REAL ESTATE.—A. Leggate, auctioneer, will sell at ten o'clock this morning, 30 lots on the Allegheny Poor Farm at Bennet.

Also, at four o'clock to-day, the late Philip Beilstein's property, 109 and 110 South Canal street.

Also, on Thursday, 26th inst., at eleven o'clock, Harry Shafer's farm of eleven acres, and dwelling, on the New Brighton road, beyond second toll gate.

Also, on Tuesday next, at two o'clock, Mr. Coffin's residence and vacant lots on Bidwell street.

A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer.

THE BAKEWELL PROPERTY AT NEVILLE.—Preparations are being made for a division of this property, and a public sale at as early a day as possible. In the meantime, however, the property can be purchased entire on very attractive terms. There are thirty-four acres of choice land, finely improved, extensive buildings, beautiful scenery, and all the ajuncts of a lovely suburban home. The value of this land will unquestionably increase, and at the low price at which it will now be sold presents a rare chance for investment. Apply to A. Leggate, auctioneer, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

PEOPLE are bound to give Pier, Dannals & Co. no rest, for they have to work night and day to fill the demand for cream ale.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ NOTICE.—A meeting of the MARSHAL and STAFF of the THIRD DIVISION will be held at the Mayor's Office, Allegheny City, on FRIDAY, May 27, 1870, at 4 o'clock P. M. *sharp*, at which time all staff officers are earnestly requested to attend, and all organizations desiring to participate will please report at that time and place so as to be assigned to their positions in the column.

CHARLES BARNES,
General Commanding.

J. E. B. DALZELL, Ass't Adj't Gen.

Following are the officers of the

THIRD DIVISION.

General Commanding—CHARLES BARNES.
Chief of Staff—W. A. CAMPBELL.
Assistant Adjt. Gen.—J. E. B. DALZELL.

AIDS-DE-CAMP:

General David Leasure.
Col. Thos. M. Bayne.
Major Wm. H. Hope.
Capt. John Speer.
Capt. Henry Nesbit.
John J. Williams.
Ed. Coats.
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Joel Goe.
Henry Spangler.
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Dr. F. Hartmeyer.
W. W. McClelland.
E. J. Wilkins.
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Theo. Straub.
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W. H. Graham.
John B. Graham.
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Augustus Hollinder.
William Sainte.
Charles H. Hartman.
Charles E. Davis.
James E. Crow.
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George Dierker.
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NOTICE.—The assessment for GRADING and PAVING of Chestnut street, from north side of river avenue to the Mechanic street bridge; also, the assessment for the construction of a BOARDWALK on Bell avenue, from Federal street to Willis street, are now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until SATURDAY, June 4th, 1870, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Controller for collection.

CHARLES DAVIS.

my25:x44 City Engineer.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between

A. Ballou and W. C. Adams,

doing business under the firm name of Ballou & Adams, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. W. C. ADAMS assumes all liabilities, and all debts due the firm are to be paid to him.

A. BALDOU.
W. C. ADAMS.

MAY 16th, 1870. my25:x42

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned under the name and style of STEWART McKEE & SONS, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

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WANTED.—Everybody to call at 184 LIBERTY STREET, and examine the DUNDERDALE APPARATUS for making gas. County rights for sale. 5-19

WANTED.—MORTGAGES.
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BOARDING.—A number of Gentlemen can be furnished with boarding and Rooms if desired, pleasantly located, at No. 20 ANDERSON STREET, near Hand street bridge, Allegheny City. 5-17:tf

TO LET.

TO-LET.—SLEEPING ROOMS—Furnished or UNFURNISHED. Enquire at 176 FIRST AVENUE, Pittsburgh, Pa. 5-24

TO-LET.—A well-finished House of 6 rooms on Jalappa street, near Allegheny avenue. Will be given to a good tenant for $25 per month. Enquire of CHARLES PURNELL, corner of Allegheny avenue and Rebecca street. 5-24

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TO-LET.—INTERESTING TO LAWYERS.—TIER OF OFFICES on Grant, near Fifth, and a TIER with entrance on Fifth avenue near Court House. Apply to Mrs. M. McTIGHE, or to N. NELSON, 116 Fifth avenue. 5-10

TO-LET.

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A REDUCTION of ten millions in the public debt this month is considered probable.

MEMBERS of the House Committee of Ways and Means share in the confidence expressed by Mr. BOUTWELL in the passage of a practical funding scheme at this session.

WE HAVE plenty of telegrams reporting the preliminary movements for another Fenian raid over the border. If the incursion be made at any point along the line of the lower provinces, we shall be called upon, about a week hence, to chronicle another Limestone Ridge fiasco, with the just punishment of more or less of the fillibusters. If the demonstration below be merely intended as a blind to cover a really earnest push upon Winnipeg, we are equally certain to hear of the failure of the latter. For it will be within the power, as it is clearly the duty, of our own Government to suppress such incursions by our citizens upon the territory of a friendly neighbor. The Dominion authorities will not fail to give a good account of themselves, in dealing with the situation at any point between the Sault St. Mary and the mouth of the St. Lawrence. Above the Sault, the only practicable roads to Winnipeg can each be held by a single company of our regulars, against all the Fenians who can be collect- to assail the international obligations of the Republic. We trust that these misguided men will suffer no more from the results of their delusion than may prove to them a just and salutary lesson.

THE OPERA.

Our lovers of musical art are enjoying a very high gratification this week, in "assisting" at the excellent operatic presentations of the Richings-Bernard Company. The lady who gives her name, the prestige of her reputation as an artist and impresario, and her really very superior ability as a vocalist, to the troupe which accompanies her, was ever, and most deservedly, a favorite in this city. Her management has been always just to the public, and its undertakings invariably fulfilled to the letter. An opera promised by her is sure to be given, or, else, satisfactory explanations for the very rare failures. The public have never yet had cause to impeach her management, for the habitual failures and vexatious disappointments which the press elsewhere have recorded against more than one other company of traveling artists. And, whether as Miss Richings or Mrs. Bernard, our cultivated admirers of music have always welcomed her advent most cordially, listened to her with sincere gratification, and noted her departure with regret. On this occasion, we observe that her *repertoire* offers to us new attractions, and that she is supported by other artists of marked merit and high repute.

Since it is but seldom that we have this pleasure, of attending a musical festival of so superior an order, we the more willingly improve the occasion to bear this testimony to the high gratification which it yields to all our *dilettanti*, and to express the hope that this week at Pittsburgh may be marked with a white stone in the record of these artists.

JUDD'S PLAN.

There is only one objection to Mr. Judd's proposition for the reduction of the duties on certain articles of prime necessity. It is evidently not offered in good faith, to meet a popular demand. What we all want is a smaller impost upon coffee and tea—articles which are of wholly foreign production, and must be imported. Of sugars and molasses, we do produce a limited amount, but the production is confined to a single State of the thirty-seven, constituting in no just sense a national interest. A reduction upon these articles also would not be inconsistent with the true theory of protection. But Mr. Judd's strategy, in coupling salt and iron in the same proposition is probably a mere electioneering device. Those articles are produced, more or less, in almost every State; they are the basis of an industry as purely national as any we have, next to agriculture itself. Yet in view of the small amount of capital and skill required for the production of salt, and the facility with which, in any emergency, the country could resort to its own resources for a supply, we are not disposed to be tenacious in our objections to that feature of his proposition. But with respect to iron, the case is very different. Large capital, peculiar skill and much time are requisite for the preparation of this most important article, from its original ores into its still crude but first available forms as slabs or pigs. And even then it is of no practical utility until it is further refined, and cast, wrought or rolled into shapes for the popular use. Here, the unavoidable combination of both primary and secondary processes, more than redoubles the expensive conditions of the manufacture. Hence, it is not an industry which can be suspended, extinguished and revived again in full activity at a few weeks' notice. The American policy has, therefore, been to protect, encourage and support our own production of a metal the most indispensable of all to the National uses, whether in the arts of peace or in the public defense from the assaults of war. This protection has been given in the present duty of nine dollars per ton, which experience has proven to be no greater than the case has required. The Ways and Means Committee's bill, just postponed in consequence of the hostility with which Mr. Judd and his friends received it, did offer the same reduction which he now asks for, but so connected it with other provisions in a general system of duties that the trade could still have been maintained in a tolerably healthy activity. Having defeated the compensatory features of that general proposition, this free trade member now aims to seize the concession without the conditions. We doubt if Congress will approve the strategy. Probably he does not expect so much. Either he has designed to carry his cheap iron on the shoulders of cheap coffee, tea and sugar, or to put the protectionists on the category of opposing a lower rate upon the latter articles. For this, we impeach the member's good faith.

Whether our iron be cheap or dear, all the money paid for it will be earned, paid and invested or expended at home, among our own people. We intend that the manufacture shall always be a live business within our own borders, for we perceive how necessary it is that our labor should have its just employment, our mineral wealth its proper development, and the country made independent in peace and always prepared for war, in the maintenance of its international rights. We adjudge this iron question upon totally different principles from those which govern tea, coffee, sugar or even salt. Mr. Judd's attempt to confuse the question and embarrass the friends of protection is palpably illogical, unfair and inadmissible. Mr. Judd may be an accomplished orator, or a profound lawyer, a smart politician, a fair representative of Chicago, but as a political economist he is—we say it kindly—a palpable failure. But there, too, he is fairly on the Chicago level. Let him stand there!

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The twelfth annual sessions of the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church will commence this evening, in the First United Presbyterian Church, Seventh avenue. It is becoming that an ecclesiastical body so great in influence and respectable in numerical strength should receive more than a mere passing notice.

The United Presbyterian Church is of illustrous lineage. In common with the other Presbyterian bodies of the country, it is a ramification of the mother churches of Scotland and Ireland. Some of the elements which enter into its composition may be traced back to the "Second Reformation" in Scotland, which commenced about the year 1638, and during the progress of which the principles contended for so earnestly by the Church of Scotland received, as is generally believed by ecclesiastical historians, their highest development.

During the half century intervening between the period of the "Second Reformation" and the "Revolution Settlement" of 1688, the Church of Scotland sadly declined. She was distracted no less by oppressive treatment from without, than by the unstable conduct of her members within.

Having passed through the fires and waters of persecution so long, the church, generally, though by no means universally, gave in her assent to the "Revolution Settlement." Dissatisfaction with the terms of settlement, which, among other things compromised the independency of Presbytery, developed what is known as the "Cameronian" party, which had to endure many and grievous persecutions.

At length the "Marrow Controversy" arose, when the Erskines seceded from the church in 1733, being no longer able to uphold their deeply cherished principles against the party in power, within her pale. The Erskines, and those who concurred with them, organized themselves into a presbytery in that same year, and assumed the name of "Associate Presbyterians." Ten years after this, in the year 1743, Rev. Messrs. McMillan and Nairne organized the "Reformed Presbytery" of Scotland. These two bodies differed merely in regard to matters pertaining to civil institutions.

It was not long after this, till these respective organizations made their appearance in the New World, and in full faith of a rich and abundant harvest planted the seed of Presbyterianism in the American colonies. As early as 1736, immigrants, who were devoted to the cause of Associate Presbyterianism, sent an earnest request to Scotland to be supplied with preaching. But it was not until the year 1753, and after frequent and earnest appeals, that the Associate Church was able to send out a preacher. In that year, two duly accredited ministers were commissioned to visit the American colonies. Shortly after their arrival they constituted what was known as the Associate Presbytery of Pennsylvania. This little band had their hands strengthened, from time to time, by the arrival of other ministers, whom the mother church failed not to send out whenever the state of things at home warranted it. The Church flourished so rapidly that in the year 1776 an additional Presbytery was organized under the corporate name of the Associate Presbytery of New York. There were at this date thirteen Associate ministers, ten of whom belonged to the Presbytery of Pennsylvania, and three to that of New York.

About this time, the Colonial church severed her connection with the church in Scotland, and henceforward maintained an independent position as a separate ecclesiastical organization, whilst she adhered firmly to the same doctrines, order and worship which were held and observed by the church "at home." The following illustrious names were associated with the early history of the Secession church in this country; John Mason, Robert Annan, William Marshall, James Proudfit and James Clarkson. These were all men of great force of character, profound learning and earnest piety.

In the year 1774 the Reformed Presbytery of North America was constituted, and consisted of Messrs. John Cuthbertson, Alexander Dobbin and Matthew Linn.

In the year 1777 the Associate and Reformed Presbyterian Presbyteries entered into negotiations with the view of consummating an organic union. This was virtually accomplished in 1782, when all the ministers of both churches, except William Marshall and James Clarkson of the Associate church, agreed to form one ecclesiastical organization under the name and title of the "Associate Reformed Presbyterian church of North America." The formal ratification of this union took place in 1799, when the Constitution and Standards of the United church were adopted.

Those members of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, who did not go into the Union, received, soon after it went into effect, stated ministerial supplies from the mother church, and continued their separate organization. The Associate Church was continued by Messrs. Clarkson and Marshall, who objected to the union, chiefly, because the Church which sent out the missionaries originally, had not been consulted in relation to it. It will be seen, then, that so far as the diminishing of the number of sects was concerned, the union was a failure.

These two churches again took up their march on separate lines, although there was really no difference between them, either doctrinal or otherwise, which should have been allowed to cause division. Being convinced of this, a proposal was made by the Reformed Presbyterian Church to commence negotiations for union. The proposal was accepted by the Associate Reformed Church, and a convention, composed of delegates from it and the Reformed Presbyterian Church, met in this city in October, 1838. At a subsequent convention, held in the city of Philadelphia in May 1842, delegates were present from the Associate, Associate Reformed, and Reformed Presbyterian Churches. Several meetings were held, we believe, between that date and May, 1845, when the Reformed Presbyterian Church, from which the proposal had emanated originally, withdrew from the convention, an act which has since been deeply regretted by many of her ministers and members.

With this withdrawal negotiations did not cease. The Associate and Associate Reformed Churches continued to prosecute the good work until the year 1857, when a basis of incorporating union was agreed upon between these two bodies. That year was remarkable in the ecclesiastical history of the United States for the great religious interest which was awakened throughout the land, and which is supposed to have contributed in no small degree to the consummation of a union for which many of the most distinguished ministers in both churches had labored with the most untiring zeal for about a quarter of a century. Many of them lived to see their fondest hopes fully realized, and to enjoy the fruits of their indefatigable labors in beholding two important Christian churches united happily in one organic body.

The union was formally ratified in City Hall, in this city, on the 20th of May, 1858. There are many still living from whose minds the impressions made by the scenes enacted that day will never be effaced. It was a solemn and impressive scene to witness the two bodies, which had been so long separated, marching from the two churches in which they had assembled to the Pittsburgh end of the St. Clair street bridge, and there mingling spontaneously in one body, and from thence proceeding, one of each Synod linking arm in arm, to City Hall.

The scenes enacted in the Hall are beyond description. Speeches of great power and eloquence were made by gentlemen of both sides of the house. "Old Hundredth" was rendered with thrilling power, as three thousand voices rolled up an anthem of praise to the throne of that God who presides over the destinies of both churches and nations. Every countenance in that vast assembly was radiant with delight, because every heart was filled with joy. It was a grand sight to behold two bodies which had been so long separated on mere technicalities, flowing together in one mighty stream, the fertilizing and prolific influences of which are already visible. This was the harbinger of another Union on a more extensive scale, but no more impressive in its scenes, which was consummated in our city in November last. It is to be hoped that it will be followed by others, as there are some of the tribes of New Testament presbyterian Israel, which still maintain separate existences, and whom prejudice alone keeps apart.

The united body is known as "The General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church in North America." It consists of seven Synods and fifty-four Presbyteries, 565 ministers, 164 of whom are without charge, and forty-six licentiates. It embraces 726 congregations, 29,525 families, and about 70,000 communicants. There are under its care 567 Sabbath-schools, with 6,068 officers and teachers, and 43,806 scholars, who contributed $19,133 for missionary purposes during the year 1868. It has well organized home, foreign and freedmen's mission boards.

There are five theological seminaries in connection with the Assembly, which are located respectively in Allegheny city, Pa.; Xenia, Ohio; Monmouth, Illinois; Newburg, New York, and Osiout, Egypt. These seminaries are attended by seventy-four students. Their total value in endowment funds and real estate is estimated at $198,000.

It sustains two colleges. One, Westminster, is located at New Wilmington, Lawrence county, Pa., and the other, Monmouth, at Monmouth, Illinois. These colleges are attended by 624 students, and are possessed of property said to be worth about $300,000. In addition to the colleges there are three presbyterial academies under the care of the Assembly.

The total salaries of pastors and "stated supplies" amounted, during the year 1868, to $388,278, congregational expenses, $241,983; contributions to Church funds, $114,655; general contributions, $73,725; total contributions, $818,641, being an average per member of $11.38.

The annual sessions of the Supreme Court of this highly respectable and flourishing body of professing Christians will commence this evening in the First United Presbyterian church, Seventh avenue, when the Rev. Robert Audley Brown, D.D., President of Westminster College, and the retiring Moderator of the Assembly, will preach the opening sermon.

The GAZETTE will contain, each morning, a full and accurate report of the proceedings of the Assembly during its sessions.

OUR GERMAN PRESS

The *Freiheits Freund* has articles on the Election Frauds in New York; The Attempt on Napoleon's Life; and The Removal of the Capitol. On this last question it says: "The necessity of at last coming to a definite conclusion upon this question draws nearer, for if the Capitol is not to remain in its old place, then it should be 'removed' as soon as possible for the cost of flitting grows largely as time goes on. Only recently the Senate voted a sum of $500,000 for the purpose of erecting a new building for the Department of State, and a similar sum for enlarging the Capitol grounds, which is at least a noteworthy sign that the Senate is not in favor of the project. Still such a proceeding is blameworthy since the people alone have the right to decide where they will have the Federal capital. Opportunity should first be given to the people to discuss the question, and if it should decide that the Capitol is to be removed then Congress should not spend another cent for new buildings or pleasure grounds in Washington. That the capital of the United States has no peculiarly favorable position from a geographical point of view, will be maintained by no one, the only question is, will the advantages gained by removal counter-balance the expense? St. Louis or some other western city may become so greedy for the honor of being the Federal Capital, as to declare itself ready to bear the whole or the greater part of the expense.

The *Volksblatt* has articles upon President Juarez; Wm. Penn and the Puritans; and the election of the next Legislature. Of this last it says it is of the greatest importance. If it had depended on the last Legislature, our State would have been robbed of nine millions of dollars (in bonds.) Only the most earnest protest of the press, and the Governor's veto prevented the success of the gigantic plundering project. The attempt, will however, without doubt be renewed. The people must therefore be on their guard and should only nominate and elect candidates, whose character and reputation are guarantee sufficient, that they are proof against all attempts at bribery. Apart from the care of the financial well-being of our State, which is weighty enough in itself, the future of the party stands also in this ballance.

If the above named plundering project should again come on the carpet, and should prove successful through the fault of Republican members, the Republican party would be dead for years. The most sensitive part of the human body, it is well known, is and remains, throughout the world—the money bag.

The Tribune as Physic.

An exceedingly queer story concerning the New York *Tribune* was related as a fact by Rev. Dr. Jessup, in argument for the need of a medical college in Syria. A hakeem, or native doctor, one day came to him, and asked him for a few old newspapers, to which he responded by the gift of a few well-worn copies of the *Tribune*. A fortnight after, the grateful recipient came back to him in wonderful spirits, and thanked him most heartily for the gift, inviting him to go and eat grapes and figs in his vineyard, saying: "I thank you very much for those old journals. There is nothing like them; they have worked wonders for my patients." What was Dr. Jessup's surprise, on entering the house of the quack, to be invited to look into an earthen jar in which these newspapers had been soaked to a pulp in water and then in olive oil, quantities of which astounding mixture had been swallowed by this fellow's credulous patients, with such amazing beneficial results! The old hakeem gravely thought it was the magical charm of the printed letters that did the business!

A Heartrending Story--Sudden Rise of a Texan River.

One of the most terrible calamities of its nature that has happened lately is narrated by the Austin, Texas, *Journal*. It reads almost like a romance, as it seems impossible for a small stream twenty feet below its banks to rise with such rapidity as is stated. It is, nevertheless, a truth that is far stranger than fiction:

"We published, some time since, a brief and necessarily imperfect account of this strange and most painful calamity, which we now correct, with fuller particulars, as we receive the statement from the lips of Brevet Colonel Merriam, Major of the Twenty-fourth Infantry, who is now in Austin. The Colonel, after four years of military service on the frontiers of Kansas, New Mexico and West Texas, had received leave of absence, and was journeying with his wife and child from El Paso to the Texan coast.

They had reached the head of the Concho river, and camped for the night on Sunday, the 24th of April.

The river is formed by the junction of the rills of water from several large springs, which have been dammed into ponds by the wild beaver, and are well filled with large fish.

The stream is so small here that a man can step across it anywhere. The banks were twenty feet above the bed of the water. Fatigued with the long journey of sixty-eight miles in the previous twenty-four hours, without water, the party were pleasantly resting when, early in the evening, Colonel Merriam was roused by the signs of an approaching storm. The tent was fastened and made as secure as possible, and about nine o'clock a hail-storm burst upon them, accompanied by some rain and a strong wind.

The fall of hail was unprecedented, lasting until nearly eleven; the stones being of the size of hens' eggs, and striking the tent and prairie with a noise like near and incessant musketry.

The Colonel, who was not ignorant of the sudden and extreme overflows to which the mountain streams of Texas are liable, went out into the darkness as soon as the storm had ceased, to note what effect had been produced on this rivulet. To his amazement, he found in the formerly almost dry bed of the creek, a resistless torrent loaded and filled with hail, rolling bank full, white as milk, and silent as a river of oil.

He at once saw the danger and ran back to the tent, shouting to the escort and servants to turn out. He placed Mrs. Merriam, the child and nurse, in the carriage, and with the aid of three men, started to run with it to the higher ground, a distance of not sixty yards. Scarcely a minute had elapsed from the time the alarm had been given, but already the water had surged over the bank in waves of such volume and force as to sweep the party from their feet before they had traversed thirty yards.

The Colonel called for assistance on some cavalry soldiers, who had just escaped from the United States mail station near by, but they were too terrorized to heed or to help.

Colonel Merriam then abandoned the hope of saving his family in the carriage, and tried to enter it in order to swim out with them, but he was swept down the ice-cold torrent like a bubble. Being an expert swimmer, he succeeded in reaching the bank about two hundred yards below, and ran back to renew the effort, when he received the terrible tidings, that the moment after he was swept down, the carriage, with all its precious freight, had turned over and gone rolling down the flood, his wife saying, as she disappeared, "My darling husband, goodbye." The little rill of a few hours before, which a child might step across, had become a raging river, covered with masses of drift wood a mile in width, and from thirty to forty feet deep!

The bereaved husband procured a horse from one of the cavalry and rode far down the torrent, but could see nothing in the darkness, and hear naught but the wild sounds of the waves. So passed the long and wretched night.

Before day the strange and momentary flood had passed by, and the small stream shrank to its usual size, and ran in its wonted bed. The sad search began. The drowned soldiers and servants, four in number, were found, and the body of the wife taken from the water about three-fourths of a mile below, and prepared for a journey of fifty-three miles to the post of Concho for temporary burial. Not till three days after was the body of the child found, four miles down the stream, and a long distance from its bed. Mrs. Merriam was a lady of fine culture and attainments, valued and beloved by all who knew her. The little girl, not three years old, was remarkable for the maturity of her mind and the sweetness of her disposition.

The carriage was drifted by the current about a mile, and lodged in a thicket. The storm and flood are represented as frightful beyond description. The Beaver ponds from which the Concho takes its rise were so filled with the icy hail, that the catfish were killed by the congelation, and were swept in wagon loads, together with the myriads of smaller animals of the plain, such as rabbits and snakes, all over the country by the sudden and rushing flood.

Three days after the storm, when the party left the Concho, the hail still lay in drifts and winrows to the depth of more than six feet! A calamity more sad, strange and tragic it has seldom been our lot to narrate, and our deepest sympathies go out to the father and husband thus suddenly stricken to the heart by the ghastly loss of all that he held most dear.

In the United States and the XIXth Century.

We learn from a correspondent in Rogersville, Tennessee, of a cold-blooded and deliberate murder which took place about ten miles north of Rogersville, on the 17th instant.

On the night of the 17th a strange man called at the house of Thomas Sizemore, and asked him to come out to the gate of the yard to get a letter. Sizemore went out as requested, and was handed a piece of paper. Just as he took the paper, he was shot through the head, the ball entering over the eye. A second shot was sent through his right breast, the two shots producing instant death. The man committing the murder left at once, and has not yet been arrested. The deceased was a quiet and industrious man, and has been for some time past engaged in teaching school. He had been away from home all day on the 17th, working for a neighbor, some two miles from his home. A strange man, supposed to be the same who murdered him, called at his house during the day and asked for him, saying he wanted to buy some hogs.

The deed was committed by a stranger, as is supposed, for the murdered man is represented as quiet and neighborly. He was accused of having murdered a man during the war near Russellville, and also one in this country. He was a brother of Henry Sizemore and C. A., who was killed during the war by scouts, and also a brother to William O. Sizemore, who was killed some years ago by Willis. A deadly feud has existed between this family and some others in the country for years, and one by one they have been killed off. He leaves a wife, to whom he was married some six months ago.

Bayard Taylor on Pittsburgh.

A traveller's letter from "B. T." to the New York *Tribune* has the following paragraph:

The region around Pittsburgh will be a great surprise to a conservative Eastern man who comes this way for the first time. The delightful country residences, with their grounds and gardens, form a suburb of the city which extends for ten miles eastward, and as far to the westward, along the line of road. Our Eastern cities, except Boston, which has a charming suburban ring of residences, taper off into shanties, bone-boiling establishments and all varieties of straggling and unsightly architecture. In New York and Philadelphia, the few who set their homes outside, and make the city a place of business, skip over the immediate vicinity and settle themselves along the Hudson, or in out-lying places like Germantown or Paterson. In Pittsburgh a suburban home seems to be the rule with all who can afford it. You may be told that it is a necessity, in order to get a sight of the sun, and to breathe an atmosphere which does not wholly clog the nostrils with soot, but I have always found that the genuine Pittsburgher rejoices in his bituminous cloud and grows lighter in heart as he becomes darker in complexion. They are a social and cheerful race, and no old-fogy traditions interfere with their independent growth.

THE poet Gray was notoriously fearful of fire, and kept a ladder of ropes in his bedroom. Some mischievous young men at Cambridge, knowing this, roused him from below in the middle of a dark night, with a cry of fire. The staircase, they said, was in flames. Up went the window, and down he came on his rope ladder, as fast as he could into a tub of water, which was placed there to receive him. He was put out.

DR. RAY PALMER tells this good "evangelical" anecdote: A Western mother, who, by the way, is well known as an authoress, told him that her son, whom she had advised to unite with the church, had a difficulty. "I don't see, mother, the great merit in Christ's dying for us. If I could save a dozen men by dying for them, I think I would. Much more if there were millions of them." "But, my son, would you die for a dozen grasshoppers?" That set him thinking. After a few days, he came to her with his doubts cleared. "I don't know about the grasshoppers; they are a pretty clever kind of bug. But if it was millions of *musquitoes*, I think I should let them die."

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MONEY AND COMMERCE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
TUESDAY, May 24, 1870. }

Our prediction yesterday as to the sudden rise in stocks, bonds and gold has already been verified to-day, and with the first board stocks had reached the lowest point and suddenly advanced in some instances as much as three per cent.

Gold, which sold at the opening of the market at 113¾, suddenly advanced to 114⅛, and closed steady at that. The rise, however, was too sudden to be of long duration, and a reaction from realizations to-morrow is more than probable. The tendency of the general markets, however, remains upward.

Bonds, also much depressed, did not respond fully to the advance of gold and stocks, but the market to-morrow may witness higher quotations. Bonds would have been freely sold during the past week if people had known what to invest in, but the want of first class investments deters many from realizing on bonds now.

Stocks are manipulated by cliques and are dangerous to touch at present either by long or shorts.

Money easy and business dull during the stormy weather, and what is done leaves such small margins that it is quite discouraging to do business at all.

Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz:

Gold	114⅛	American	43¾
Silver	111	Western Union	33
1881 Bonds	117	N. Y. Central	100⅝
5-20 Bonds 1862	111⅛	Reading	104⅜
5-20 Bonds 1864	111	P. Ft. W. & C	94⅜
5-20 Bonds 1865	111	Ohio & Miss	38
Consols 1865	113⅜	Mich. Southern	97⅜
5.20 Bonds 1867	113⅛	Cleveland & P	107
5-20 Bonds 1868	113⅜	C. R. I. & P.	18⅜
10-40	108⅛	Chicago & N. W	81⅞
Adams Express	63⅛	C. & N. W. Pref.	89⅞
Merchants U. Ex.	—	Erie	23⅜

	Large.	Small.
London Exchange per pound	5,59	5,75
Paris Exchange per Franc	21⅛	24⅛
Berlin Exchange per Thaler	81⅛	84
Frankfort Exchange per Florin	47	49

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	114⅛	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1865	13⅛
U. S. 6s, 1881	17	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1867	13⅜
U. S. 5-20 1862	11⅛	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1868	13⅜
U. S. 5-20 1864	11⅛	U. P. R. R.	87⅜
U. S. 5-20 1865	11⅛	C. P. R. R.	92⅜
U. S. 10-40	8⅜	Cy. Pacifics	12⅛

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 24, 1870.

The temper of Wall street speculation today showed a remarkable change, all the markets being strong and higher. Money is easy at 3a5 on call, with exceptions at 2⅛. Sterling firm at 109⅜a109⅝; gold firmer, opening at 113¾, then falling to 113½, and closing 114⅛. Carrying rates 1⅛a4 per cent. Clearances sixty-seven millions dollars. There will be a still further export of gold bars to-morrow, one house alone sending two hundred and thirty thousand dollars.

Governments strong: Coupons of '81, 17@17⅛; '62, 11⅜a11⅛; '64, 10⅞a11; '65, 11⅛a11⅜; new 13⅜a13½; '67, 13⅛a13⅜; '68, 13½a13⅝; 10-40's, 8⅛a8⅜; currency 6's, 12⅞a13.

State bonds quiet and firm: Missouris, 94; old Tennessees, 60⅛; new do., 55⅛; old North Carolinas, 48; new do., 24⅛.

The stock market is active and strong, and at the close the highest prices of the day made an advance equal to 1a3 per cent. on extreme low prices of yesterday. The most active and strongest stocks were Pacific Mail, New York Central, Reading, Rock Island, St. Paul, Ohio & Mississippi. In Pacific Mail and Lake Shore the dealings were very heavy.

Canton, 69⅛; Cumberland, 42; Western Union Telegraph, 32⅛; Quicksilver, 9; Mariposa, 6⅛, preferred, 15; Adams Express, 63⅛; Wells Express, 14⅜; American Express 44⅛; United States Express, 44⅛; Pacific Mail, 29⅛; New York Central, 101; Scrip, 96⅛; Erie, 23⅜, preferred, 46; Harlem, 144⅜; Reading, 105⅛; Michigan Central, 123⅛; Lake Shore 97⅛; Illinois Central, 139⅛; Pittsburgh, 107; North Western, 82⅛, preferred, 89⅜; Rock Island, 111⅛; New Jersey Central, 108⅜; St. Paul, 65⅛, preferred, 80⅛; Wabash, 55⅛, preferred 72; Fort Wayne, 94⅛; Terre Haute, 33; Chicago and Alton, 113⅛, preferred, 115; Ohio and Mississippi, 28⅛; Hartford Erie, 5⅛; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 68; St. Josephs, 115⅛; Iron Mountain, 49.

Boston prices: Calumet, 65; Copper Falls, 4; Franklin, 2; Hecla, 80; Quincy, 17.

Sub-Treasury balance: gold, $76,836,121; currency, $3,809,209; general, $82,990,329.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
TUESDAY, May 24, 1870. }

The oil market was again very dull to-day, and while there is no material change in prices, the feeling continues "bearish," and it is this more than anything else that retards business and restricts operations. Buyers are very timid and disposed to hold off in expectation of a decline, while sellers, on the other hand, are not disposed to make concessions in order to effect sales, and while the offerings are light it is just as true that the demand is also light. So long as the market remains in its present sensitive and unsettled condition it is not likely that there will be any improvement in business, and as already intimated, the prospects at present are not very encouraging.

CRUDE.

Market continues very dull, not a single sale reported, but compared with yesterday prices are unchanged. Spot or seller May quoted at 12@12⅛—no buyers above the inside quotation; seller June offered at 12; seller July, 12⅛; seller till July, 12; seller all year, 11½@12, buyer all year, 13⅛@14.

REFINED.

Sale 1,000 May at 26¾; and 3,000 June at 27. July quoted at 27⅛; May to August 27⅛; August to October, 28 bid; buyer all year 29. Antwerp reported firm at 52⅛.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

F. A. Bates 489, on account C D Angell.

OIL SHIPMENTS PER A. V. R. R.

McKelvy Bro. & Co., 469 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bro. & Co. Phila.
J. A. McKee, 300 bbls refined oil to Logan Bro. & Co., Phil'a.
Fawcett, Logan, Stockdale & Co., 200 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bro. & Co., Phil'a.
Citizens Oil Co., 519 bbls refined oil, to Tack Bros., Philadelphia.
B. W. Morgan 200 bbls refined to Tack Bros., Philadelphia.
Montzheimer & Keohler, 453 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Standard Oil Co., 403 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
F. A. Bates, 100 bbls ref. oil to Poultney & Moale, Baltimore.
Braun & Wagner 250 bbls refined oil to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.
Total .... 2,984 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED BY W. P. R. R.

Model Refinery, 450 bbls ref. to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.
Ralston & Waring, 372 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Kirkpatrick & Lyon, 653 bbls ref. to Logan Bro. & Co., Phila.
Mentzer, H. & Co., 153 bbls ref. to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.
Union Ref. and S. Co., 55 bbls ref. to Logan Bro. & Co., Phila.
Total .... 1,683 bbls.

PITTSBURGH WOOL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
TUESDAY, May 24, 1870. }

In this section of country there has been no movement in wool as yet worthy of the name, nor is it to be expected, as washing and shearing is scarcely finished. So far as we can learn none of our wool buyers have commenced operations, and the situation at present is considerably mixed. The impression among dealers is gaining strength that prices are likely to rule lower than last year, one strong argument in support of this theory being the stagnated and very unsatisfactory condition of the woolen goods market. It is believed that there is less wool in the hands of growers than for several years past, and the stocks in the eastern markets are pretty well reduced, but, as already intimated, the woolen goods trade is very dull, and this, of course, will have its influence upon the wool market, as the one must of necessity sympathize with the other. It is very difficult to give quotations, though buyers are inclined to the opinion that the market will open up at 35 to 40c, possibly 42, for the different grades. As we have already stated, there has no wool changed hands in this section of country, and it is supposed that there will not be much done until late in the season, as growers will not feel like selling at the prices.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
TUESDAY, May 24, 1870. }

Business generally continues sluggish and there is not much prospect of any immediate improvement. The grain trade is very slow, and notwithstanding the receipts continue light and stocks comparatively small, prices are weak with a drooping tendency. The demand is restricted almost wholly to supplying immediate wants, the decline in the east cutting off our export trade, and the Cincinnati market is not as good for Pittsburgh shippers as it has been, though it is probable that it will improve again soon. The provision trade is reported healthy with a steady city and country demand, and all the leading houses appear to be getting about as many orders as they can fill. In flour, there are no new characteristics of importance. The demand is not as brisk as it was a week or two ago, and the excitement which then prevailed has almost entirely subsided. An advance was established then, and as always is the case when the market is advancing, it was thought that it was going still higher, that the top had not been touched, but now a different feeling prevails. Unless something unforseen now should occur, such as a blighting frost, the probability is that there will be a decline instead of any further advance, as stock of wheat and flour is large, and the prospects for the coming crop could not be better.

APPLES—May be quoted at $5@6 per bbl.

BUTTER—The demand, particularly for the better grades, is better, and with diminished supplies, prices are stronger and tending upward. We now quote at 18@22, for good to choice.

BROOMS—Store prices; Fancy, $5,50; No. 1, $4,50; No. 2, $4; No. 3, $3,50; Common, $2,50@3.

BEANS—Dull but nominally unchanged, $1,50@1,75 per bushel.

CARBON OIL—Quiet and unchanged; 24 to 24½ for standard brands in a jobbing way.

CHEESE—Ohio Goshen is quoted at 15@16 and New York Goshen at 17@17½.

CORNMEAL—Quiet and unchanged, 95@$1 per bushel.

CEMENT—Sales of Louisville Hydraulic at $2@2½ per bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—The market quiet and unchanged. Apples 6@7 cts; Peaches, 6@7 for quarters, and 8@9 for halves. Blackberries, 12@14 and pitted Cherries, 20@23.

EGGS—Scarce and firm but unchanged; sales at 17@18 cts, mostly at the inside quotation.

FLOUR—Market quiet and unchanged demand mainly of a local charcter. We continue to quote at $5,50@5,75 for spring wheat; and $5,75@6 for winter wheat, and $7@7½ for fancy brands. Rye Flour, $5.

GRAIN—Wheat is not so strong and millers intimate that they intend to put prices down, already some of them quote prime red at $1,18, which is 2@3c less than they have been paying for several weeks past. Oats dull as ever but unchanged; may be fairly quoted at 47@48 in first hands and 50 to 51 on wharf and track. Corn, notwithstanding there is but very little here, is very dull, and there is scarcely enough doing to establish quotations; we quote, in the absence of sales, at 83 to 85 for ear and 88 to 90 for shelled. Rye is quiet and unchanged; 95 to 97, cash, and $1, time. Barley, to use a common phrase, is about played out; there is but very little offering, but as the malting season is over, there is little or none wanted.

HAY—Is very dull, and from country wagons may be quoted at $12@18; Sales of prime baled on wharf at $16½.

HEMP—Sales of undressed Kentucky Hemp at $167.

HUSKS—Corn husks, 3@3½ cts.

LARD OIL—City brands, $1,26@1,28 for No. 1, and 85@87 for No. 2. Well established Cincinnati and Chicago brands $1,32@1,33 for extra No. 1.

LIME—Sales of Cleveland at $2,25 per bbl, and eastern at $1,75.

POTATOES—Dull but unchanged; sales of Peach Blows at 35@40 cts.

PROVISIONS—Market steady with a continued fair jobbing demand, but unchanged. Shoulders, 13¾@14 for plain and 15⅛@15⅜ for Sugar Cured; Rib Sides, 16⅛; Clear Short Rib, 17⅛; Clear, 17⅛; Breakfast Bacon, 18⅛; Canvassed Sugar Cured Hams, 20⅛@21. Mess Pork, $30⅛@31. Lard, 17@17⅛, in tierces and 18@18⅛ in kgs.

PEANUTS—Dull. Tennessee, 8@9 cts.

SEEDS—There is no inquiry for either Timothy or Clover Seeds and the season may be regarded as over. Flaxseed is in steady demand at $2,15, with but very little offering, and a round lot might bring $2,20.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Cotton dull and unchanged, sales of 775 bales at 23c for middling uplands. Flour: receipts 15,720 barrels; and a shade firmer; 8,100 bbls at $4,60@4,80 for superfine State and western; $4,75@5,25 for extra do; $5,25@5,70 for good choice do; $5,35@6,30 for white extra western; $4,95@4,96 for extra Ohio; $5,25@8,50 for extra St. Louis. Rye flour unchanged: sales of 350 bbls at $4,50@5,85. Corn meal quiet. Whisky unchanged; sales of 250 bbls at $1,08 free. Wheat: receipts 20,205 bush. Wheat 1c better with a fair export and milling demand: sales of 87,000 bush at $1,13 for No. 3 spring; $1,15 for No. 2 Chicago; $1,17 for No. 1@2 spring mixed; $1,18 for northwest prime; $1,21 for No. 2 Milwaukee; $1,25@1,27 for No. 1 spring; $1,29@1,30 for winter red and amber western. Rye quiet and unchanged. Barley and Barley Malt both dull for Canadian. Peas in fair request; sales 18,400 bush, at 9c, in bond. Corn—Receipts 8,980 bush; firmer; sales 53,000 bush, at $1,07@1,07½ for new mixed western, $1,13 for old mixed western, and $1,15@1,16 for new western yellow. Oats unchanged; receipts 13,725 bush; sales 31,000 bush, at 64@66 for western, in store and afloat, and 66@68½c for Ohio and State. Hay quiet. Hops quiet. Coffee quiet. Molasses dull. Rice steady, at 6½@7⅛c. Sugar firm; sales 1,100 hhds; Cuba at 9@10c, Porto Rico 9⅛@10⅛c. Petroleum steady; crude 15@15⅛c, refined 27⅛c. Pork firmer; sales of 1,175 bbls, at $29,75@29,80 for mess, $22@23,50 for prime, and $26,50 for prime mess; 250 bbls mess for July, at $29,75. Beef quiet and steady; sales 2,350 bbls, at $11@15 for plain mess, and $16@18 for extra mess. Beef Hams quiet; sales 85 bbls, at $28@33. Tierce Beef steady; sales 150 tcs at $26,75@27 for prime mess, and $28@30 for India mess. Middles quiet; sales 70 bxs Cumberland-cut, at 15⅛c, short rib 16c, and South Staffordshire 15⅛c. Cut Meats dull and heavy; sales 186 pkgs, at 12@12⅛c for shoulders, and 15⅛@16c for hams. Lard firm; sales 475 tcs, at 14⅛@16c for steam, and 16⅛@16⅛c for kettle; also, 1,250 tcs steam for May, June and July, at 15⅛c, and buyers May 16. Butter dull and heavy, at 10@30 for Ohio. Cheese quiet, at 7@16⅛c. Freights to Liverpool dull and unchanged.

Latest.—Flour closed quiet and steady. Wheat firm with a fair export and milling demand. Rye quiet and steady. Oats dull at 64a64⅛c for western in store, 66a68c for Ohio. Corn steady at $1,08a1,12 for new mixed western. Pork nominal at $29,75 for mess. Beef quiet and steady. Cut meats were in limited request and unchanged. Bacon nominal. Lard dull at 15⅛a16⅛c for prime steam. Eggs steady at 17⅛a18c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—Tobacco active and unchanged. Cotton held at 22c. Hemp firm at $1,30@1,70 for undressed. Flour dull at yesterday's decline, and further concessions demanded: fall super sold at $4@4,25; X at $4,40@4,60; XX at $4,85@5; XXX at $5,25@5,50. Wheat dull and heavy, and prices favor buyers; No 2 spring 87c; choice No 2 red fall $1,05; choice $1,20@1,30. Corn depressed, unsettled, and 2@5c lower, with most of the stock held over; sales mixed and yellow at 90@95c; choice yellow 98c@$1; strictly prime to fancy white $1,08@1,10. Oats dull and lower, with sales at 60@62⅛c. Rye declined to 77@80c. Whisky in active demand at $1,05. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Provisions dull and very little doing; small sales pork at $30. Bacon shoulders and clear sides dull and nominal at 13⅛ to 17⅛@17⅛c. Hams buoyant and ranging at 19⅛@21c. Lard dull and lower, with sales at 15⅛@15⅛c for steam and 16@16⅛c for kettle. Cattle very firm, ranging at 5@8c. Hogs steady at 7⅛@8⅛c. Receipts: flour 1,200 bbls; wheat 13,500 bush; corn 61,000 bush; oats 31,300 bush; rye 1,105 bush; hogs 300 head.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 24.—Exchange unchanged. Flour; low grades of spring extras in demand at $4,25. Wheat active and firm and 2@2⅛c higher; sales No. 1 at $1@1,01, No. 2 96⅛@98c, closing dull at 97c for No. 2; this afternoon firmer and unsettled at 98@98⅛c seller June. Corn opened active and 1@1⅛c higher; prices closed quiet at 84⅛@85c for No. 2; this afternoon dull at 84⅛@84⅛c. Oats dull and ⅛c lower, closing at 48⅛@49c. Rye unchanged, No. 2 closing at 80c. Barley nominal at 60@65c for No. 2. Highwines dull, closing with sellers iron at $1,04⅛. Provisions dull and nominal. Receipts for the past twenty-four hours—4,629 bbls flour, 76,270 bush wheat, 192,730 bush corn, 88,640 bush oats, 3,750 bush rye, 10,580 bush barley. Shipments—6,878 bbls flour, 29,985 bush wheat, 100,471 bush corn, 12,187 bush oats, 7,500 bush rye, 6,240 bush barley. Freights a shade firmer.

Cattle in fair demand at $5,75@8,50 for butchers' stock to extra shipping steers. Hogs active, firm and 10@15c higher at the opening; later became quiet with the advance partially lost at $8,25@9,05 for stock pigs to choice smooth hogs.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, 24.—Flour unchanged. Rye flour steady and unchanged. Wheat heavy and held at $1,17 for No 1 red; $1,10 for No 2 do. Corn steady; No 1 mixed 96c; No 2 do 97c, No 1 yellow 97c. Oats active and in good demand at 57@58c. Rye firm at 95c@$1,00. Barley quiet and nominal. Petroleum: scarcely anything doing in refined spot oil, most refiners having contracted ahead; buyers offering 23⅛c for June or July, but holders ask 24c; crude firm at $4,30 per bbl.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—Flour firm; family $5,25@5,50. Wheat firm at $1,10@1,14. Corn easier at 95@97, white $1. Oats dull at 95@98c. Whiskey unsettled at $1,03, and $1,04 offered; 1c higher asked. Cotton unchanged and in good demand. Provisions dull and prices nominal; no sales. Butter dull and drooping at 19@24c. Eggs dull at 15c. Linseed oil firm at $1,07. Groceries unchanged and firm. Gold 114. Buying; exchange par buying; money market easy at 7@9 per cent.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, May 24.—Cotton dull; nominally 25c. Receipts, 488 bales. Exports, 318 bales. Flour dull and unchanged. Corn steady at $1,15a1,20. Oats—Holders ask 70c; no sales. Hay quiet at 20a22⅛c. Bran heavy at 24c. Lard nominal. Pork retailing at $31. Bacon shoulders 13⅛c, sides 18c. There was a fine rain last night, which was much needed. Reports from the surrounding country represent the stand of cotton and corn as very good.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 24—Cotton weak; middling at 21⅛c. Flour at $5,25 for choice white. Corn $1,20. Wheat $1,05@1,20. Oats 77c. Rye $1. Provisions quiet. Pork $30. Bacon 13⅛@17c. Lard 17c. Bulk meat 12⅛@16@16⅛c. Hams 19@20c. Whisky $1,03@1,04. Tobacco; sales 453 hhds at $5,15@8 for frosted to lugs, $8,25@8,35 for low to medium bright leaf.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, May 24.—Flour quiet. Wheat active and 2@3⅛c better; No 2 white Wabash $1,52, No 1 white Michigan $1,48⅛, amber $1,16 closing at $1,17, No 1 red $1,19, No 2 do $1,14. Corn a shade better; No 1 91c, No 2 89c. Oats steady; No 1 58c, No 2 56c. Freights quiet. Receipts: flour 500 bbls, wheat 29,500 bush, corn 25,500 bush, oats 7,800 bush.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—Flour weak, with sales of spring wheat extra family at $5,25@6,50. Wheat unchanged and demand light. Rye and corn unchanged, and demand light. Oats steady; western 62@63c. Petroleum steady; crude 19⅛ and refined 27c. Provisions unchanged. Whiskey quiet at $1,08@1,09.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 24.—Flour dull, favors buyers; western superfine $5@5,25, extra $5,50@6, family $6,25@7. Wheat unchanged. Corn: white dull, $1,16; yellow very firm, $1,13. Oats dull, 62@65c. Provisions entirely unchanged. Whiskey quiet and unchanged.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Business quiet, but prices steady; New York mills muslins 24c; Wamsutta 21⅛c; Marville 20c; Pepperill 6-4 bleached sheetings 30c; 8-4 do. 40c; Conestoga Gold Medal ticking 25c; Hamilton regular 22⅛c; Pittsfield 9⅛@10c for printed calico, and 11@11⅛c for best brands of fancies. New York mills dark check cottonades 27⅛c, being a reduction of 2⅛c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, May 24.—Flour unchanged. Wheat steady at $1,02⅛ for No 1 and 94⅛c for No 2. Corn and barley nominal. Oats lower at 48⅛c for No 5. Rye firm at 81c for No 1. Freights firmer and rates unchanged.

Detroit.

DETROIT, May 23.—Wheat scarce and No 1 nominally higher; sales of extra at $1,53, No 1 $1,45, regular $1,25. Corn 94a95c. Oats: western 57a58c, State 59a60c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, May 24.—7 cars staves, W Hastings; 2 do do, M P Adams; 7 do wheat, R T Kennedy; 100 bbls flour, R Knox; 200 do do, Seghmyer & V; 50 do h wines, Shipton & W; 50 tcs hams, W B Hays; 250 pigs lead, B L Fahnestock; 151 bgs barley, Gillmore & S; 152 do wheat, 13 do rye, P Duff & Son; 32 bgs corn, Meanor & H; 28 do oats, J D McCaffery; 26 bgs wheat, R T Kennedy; 33 do wheat, Robb & H; 4 bbls eggs, Voigt, M & Co; 2 do do, F G Craighead; 2 do do, Robb & H; 13 bgs potatoes, A P Cox, 38 do barley, F Schield; 5 bbls hams, J Lynch; 9 hhds tobacco, Weyman Bro; 100 bbls flour, Schomaker & L; 100 do do, Dan Wallace; 40 tcs hams, E H Myers; 6 bbls oil, Dilworth & H; 2 tcs beef, J A Renshaw; 10 do beef, Reese Owens; 4 do do, J H Parker; 4 do do, F Sellers; 6 bales cotton, E Hyde; 100 bbls flour, Watt, L & Co; 100 bbls flour, T C Jenkins; 1 car wheat, W McKee; 16 tcs hams, F Sellers; 10 do do, Dalzell & T; 5 bbls whisky, A Klinordlinger; 5 do do, Dillinger & S.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, May 24.—100 bbls flour, Houck, J & Co; 16 sks rags, R Christy; 8 cases hdls, J Woodwell & Co; 18 sew mchs, W Sumner & Co; 9 bdls paper, J R Weldin & Co; 12 bxs cheese, N J Braden; 72 pcs h rakes, 2 bdls do, J F Beckham; 51 bbls lub oil, G E Palmer & Co; 31 sks kgs, B L Fahnestock & Co; 2 bbls eggs, Woodworth & D; 1 tce meat, 1 bx do, W H Graff & Co; 1 keg butter, Paul & Gibson; 53 bxs f jars, Atlantic Glass Co; 11 bxs matches, Arbuckles & Co; 1 car limestone, Graff, B & Co; 50 bxs cheese, J B Canfield; 10 do do, Van Gorder & S; 2 bbls herring, Carter, McGrew & Co; 22 bales rags, McCullough & Smith; 100 bbls flour, Culp & Shepard; 49 tcs s p hams, F Sellers & Co; 3 bbls gin, 2 do whisky, 2 do bitters, A Klinordlinger; 3 cases spice, 1 bx do, J H Lippincott; 5 bbls alcohol, J McCullough; 2 casks zinc, Park & Co; 2 bales broom corn, J Rodgers; 12 cases bitters, J Murphy; 1 bbl sugar, Kramer, Rohn & Co.

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ALLEGHENY STATION, May 24.—3 cars lumber, John Nanz; 1 do lime, J K Shinn; 10 hides, 1 bbl tallow, Lappe & W; 8 bxs matches, Beckfield & Niehouse; 8 cars metal Pgh Iron and Forge Co; 1 car cooperage, Ralya & R, 2 do do, J M Hemphill; 2 do wheat, W McKee & Co; 3 do do, Kennedy Bro; 10 bbls flour, W C Brown; 1 car lumber, 1 McBriar.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, May 24.—3 sks wool, W Barker, Jr & Co; 15 sks grain, McClurg & Rainbow; 1 bbl eggs, John Daub; 1 car brick, W Clark & Co; 62 cars coal, Kier, Foster & Kier; 29 do do, Armstrong, D & Co; 18 do do, Coleman, Rahm & Co.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

CINCINNATI PER ARLINGTON, May 24.—J & W Fairley, 3 bdls sks; Rose & Ewing, 2 bdls sks; W J Steel & Bro, 3 do do; J Schwendards, 25 bdls m dust; J Dunlap, 40 cases cement; W J Snodgrass, 10 cases do; J P Smith & Co, 12 bdls do; Samuel Musgrove, 14 bbls do; W B Hays & Sons, 25 tcs hams, 5 hhds sides; Boyd, Murry & F, 9 pkgs frames; Bruggerman & O'Brien, 16 bbls d peaches; E Hydes Sons, 6 bales cotton; Jas Bown, 1 bx guns; G A Kelly, 2 bbls alcohol; A Ortleib & Co, 6 bureaus, 5⅛ doz chairs; B Zinkardt, 3 1-6 doz chairs; Jne Bernhardt, 3⅛ doz chairs; J Woodwell & Son, 4⅛ doz chairs; C G Hammer & Son, 4 doz chairs; James Meyer & Son, 1⅛ doz do; S Miller & Son, 4⅛ doz do; Seward & Emerson, 85 bbls bones; Ihmsen & Son, 4 bbls cullit; W W Knox, 20 sks seed; I Dickey & Co, 68 bags peanuts; Phillip & Mittenzway, 450 empty kegs, 377 bdls staves, 68 bdls hoops; Dilworth, Harper & Co, 20 bbls, 14 sks d fruit, 2 bbls flaxseed; Clarke & Co, 250 bbls h wines, 5 do eggs, 23 hhds tobacco.

PITTSBURGH, BROWNSVILLE AND GENEVA PACKET COMPANY, May 24.—101 sks corn, W H Nantker & Son; 19 bbls whisky, W J Meek; 275 bxs w glass, R C Schmertz; 20 bbls whisky, H P Clarke; 15 sks corn meal, Johnston & M; 200 galls stoneware, W D Cooper & Co; 26 bgs feed, 6 do flour, A S Carlisle; 10 sks corn, 35 do barley, McBane & A; 55 hogs, John Haver; 24 sks oats, S B Floyd & Co; 9 bbls eggs, Wm Mitchner; 36 sks oats, 39 do corn, McCracken, G & Co; 5 pkgs butter, J Smith; 28 bgs corn, M Lythe; 14 sheep, A Spratt.

GENEVA PER BELLE, May 24.—16 bbls lub oil, J D Seaton; 24 do do, C F Mahendick; 350 galls stone ware, W D Cooper & Bro; 50 sks oats, 1 bx eggs, McCrackin & Gilbreth; 2 bxs bottles, 1 do eggs, Kramer, Rohn & Co; 23 sks oats, 1 bx eggs, McHenry & Hood; 11 sks oats, McCrackin & Gilbreth; 84 sks oats, S B Floyd & Co; 65 sks corn, McBane & Anjer; 1 bbl ware, F Byrne; 1 do oil, J Perry; 120 sks oats, 52 sks corn, R H Conway; 25 empty bxs, Conway & J; 1 bbl, 1 bx drugs, 1 do mdse, Rodd & Patterson.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river rose all day and was still rising last evening, with 10 feet 6 inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks.

The Arlington did not get off yesterday in consequence of some necessary repairs which had to be made to her machinery, but she will positively leave to-day at 12 o'clock. Capt. Moore expects to be able to make up the lost time before he gets back again, and there is no doubt but what he can do it. This is the first time she has missed leaving here on her regular day since she came out.

The Belle, from Geneva, arrived and departed, as usual, with pretty good trips each way.

The remains of Capt. Frank Whiting were not brought here for interment as expected. He was buried at Columbus, Indiana, where he resided at the time of his death. He was 32 years of age, and leaves a wife and three children.

The towboat Gipsey, Capt. Riley Walton, arrived about 4 P. M. yesterday from Steubenville, having made the run in about 9½ hours. This is pretty good time, particularly as she had a rising river and a pretty stiff current to contend with. Distance about 75 miles.

The Great Republic has withdrawn from the independent line, and will hereafter run in connection with the old line.

The R. J. Lockwood, Capt. Conkles new steamer, was towed up to the main landing yesterday and will at once commence loading for St. Louis.

The Juniata is due here this evening from Cincinnati and will return as usual to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

The Bellevernon, Capt. J. J. Darragh, is filling up steadily and is announced to take her departure for New Orleans this evening. Mr. T. J. Darragh has charge of the office.

—The Ida Stockdale arrived at Sioux City on the 17th. She left St. Louis on the 1st inst. with 150 tons of freight for Fort Benton. At St. Joe she took on 168 head of mules and 30 army wagons and ambulances for Fort Randall and Sully. Five passengers for points up the river were on board. Among them Maj. Culverson's daughter by an indian wife, who is highly accomplished and very handsome. The Ida added 70 tons to her cargo at Sioux City.

—The steamer Bellevernon, of Pittsburgh, has been sold to Capt. Adam Jacobs, and her machinery will be transferred to a new boat. The Bellevernon is a very old boat.—*St. Louis Republican.*

No such thing. It was the Reserve and not the Bellevernon. The *Republican* man should be more careful and not make such blunders.

—The New Orleans *Times* of the 17th says: Owing to the scarcity of business in the Red river trade, Capt. John Haeberle has laid up his steamers Frolic and Rapides. Should business look up a little during this or next week, the probability is that either the Frolic or Rapides will venture out. Doubtless many more of our Red river packets will follow suit.

—The Evansville *Journal*, of Saturday, says: Captain Dexter informs us that the Robert Moore is in a dilapidated condition, and the strong probability is that she will go to pieces. Her chimneys toppled over, and the sand is washing from under her. Her officers and crew have used every exertion to save her cargo.

—Captain J. W. Charleton of New Orleans, has closed a contract with Dunlevy & Wilson and H. W. Phillips of Wheeling for a new boat for the Ouachita trade. The boat is to be a stern-wheeler, and will be 130 feet long, 32 feet beam, 4 feet depth of hold, with two boilers and two engines, and a plain cabin.

—The new boats to be built for the Upper Arkansas, at Memphis, will be called Cherokee and Choctaw. And further, says the *Appeal*, the Dock Company have at this time forty hands at work, and wages received by them is $3 per day. The force will shortly be increased to one hundred men.

—A late New Orleans paper says: The Leonidas, to Cincinnati, added to her other freight one thousand bars railroad iron. Iron for St. Louis abundant. Offerings for Cincinnati quite fair. For Louisville not much freight moving.

—The Thompson Dean, of the St. Louis & New Orleans packets, is coming up with 5,553 bars of railroad iron, the weight of which is about 968 long tons, or 1,189 tons; the largest load of railroad iron ever brought up the river.

—A Van Buren paper of the 17th, reports 2½ feet on Van Buren Bar, and the channel cutting out, so that, with the decline of the river, navigation will not get much worse than it is.

—Fifty cents is the price charged pedestrians for the privilege of standing on the deck of the steam ferry R. C. Nutt while she steams accross the Missouri river at Council Bluffs.

—The Wananita and Camelia left Cincinnati for this port on Saturday. Henderson and Hamilton are the pilots on the former, and Shouse and Whitten on the latter.

—The Juniata left Cincinnati at 3 P. M. on Sunday with all the freight she wanted.

—The Mollie Ebert and Glendale were at Evansville on Sunday.

—The Wild Duck passed by Cincinnati on Saturday night.

LEGAL.

Orphans' Court Sale OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County, the undersigned Executor of the Estate of Mary Ann Lafferty, late of Pittsburgh, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on TUESDAY, June 7th, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., all that lot or piece of land situated in the Eighth ward of said City of Pittsburgh, bounded and described as follows, viz: beginning on Pennsylvania avenue at the corner where the lot now or formerly of George Gumbert joins the property of Wm. Lippincott; thence along Pennsylvania avenue towards Dinwiddie street, 39 feet more or less; thence on a line running back from said avenue to Colwell street 154 feet; thence at right angles to the last mentioned line 25 feet to the line of George Gumbert's lots, and thence along Gumbert's lots 154 feet to the place of beginning. On which is erected a two-story Frame Dwelling House.

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NOTICE.—Whereas, Letters of Administration on the estate of THOMAS MILLER, late of Snowden township, deceased, have been granted to the subscribers, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent will make known the same without delay.

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my21:x30 Administrators.

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ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Mail Train	1 30 am	*Southern ex	3 20 am
Fast Line	1 12 am	*Pacific Ex	3 40 am
Wall's No. 1	6 20 am	Wall's No. 1	6 30 am
Brin'n Ac. No. 1	7 50 am	Mail Train	8 10 am
Wall's No. 2	8 55 am	Brinton Ac.	10 20 am
Cincinnati Ex	9 20 am	B'ks Ac. No. 1	5 10 pm
Johnstown Ac.	10 50 am	Cincin'ti Ex	12 35 pm
B'ks Ac. No. 1	7 00 pm	Wall's No. 2	11 51 am
Pittsb'gh Ex	1 30 pm	Johnstown Ac.	4 05 pm
Pacific Ex	1 50 pm	Homew'd Ac.	
Wall's No. 3	2 35 pm	No. 1	8 50 pm
Homew'd Ac.		Phila. Express	3 50 pm
No. 1	9 55 pm	Wall's No. 3	3 05 pm
Wall's No. 4	5 50 pm	Wall's No. 4	6 05 pm
Brin'n Ac. No. 2	7 10 pm	*Fast Line	7 50 pm
Way Passn'r	10 20 pm	Wall's No. 5	11 00 pm

*These trains make close connection at Harrisburg for Baltimore.

The Church Train leaves Walls Station every Sunday at 9 05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10 05 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12 50 p. m. and arrives at Walls Station at 2 10 p. m.

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ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Springd'e No. 1	6 40 a m	Mail	7 00 a m
Freeport No. 1	5 20 a m	Freeport No. 1	9 20 a m
Express	10 40 a m	Sharpb'g No. 1	1 20 a m
Sharpb'g No. 1	1 20 p m	Express	3 20 p m
Freeport No. 2	4 05 p m	Springd'e No. 1	3 10 p m
Mail	5 50 p m	Freeport No. 2	3 20 p m
Springd'e No. 2	6 20 p m	Springd'e No. 1	6 30 p m

Above trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7 40 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9 50 A. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 1 00 P. M. and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 3 40 P. M.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	12 28 a m	Fast Line	2 30 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	2 38 a m	Pacific Ex	1 20 p m
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6 38 a m	Wheeling Ex	10 48 a m
Chicago Mail	6 58 a m	C. & St. L. Ex	7 18 p m
Chicago Ex	1 58 p m	Chicago Mail	3 28 p m
Cl. & Wh'g Ex	2 08 p m	Cleveland Ex	3 38 p m
Pacific Ex	2 28 p m	Erie & Eg'n Ex	7 08 p m
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DEPART FROM ALLEG'Y		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Bea'r Falls Ac.	8 38 a m	Leetsdale Ac.	6 53 a m
Leetsdale "	10 18 a m	Bea'r Falls "	8 08 a m
" "	11 53 a m	New Castle "	10 23 a m
Rochester "	2 48 p m	Enon "	12 58 p m
Enon "	4 28 p m	Leetsdale "	12 33 p m
Leetsdale "	5 13 p m	Bea'r Falls "	2 43 p m
Bea'r Falls "	6 23 p m	Leetsdale "	4 33 p m
Leetsdale "	10 43 p m	" "	7 33 p m
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	1 13 p m	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9 58 a m

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1st Hulton	6 40 A. M.	1st Hulton	8 25 A. M.
2d Hulton	11 50 A. M.	2d Hulton	1 30 P. M.
3d Hulton	5 00 P. M.	3d Hulton	2 10 P. M.
4th Hulton	11 00 P. M.	4th Hulton	7 15 P. M.
Freeport Ac.	9 30 A. M.	Soda Works	7 55 A. M.
Soda Works	6 30 P. M.	Freeport Ac.	6 15 P. M.
Brady's B Ac	3 15 P. M.	Brady's B Ac	10 05 A. M.
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CHANGE OF TIME.—On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 14th, 1869, trains will leave and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:

Pittsburgh Time.

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail	2 08 a. m.	12 13 p. m.
Southern Express	2 28 p. m.	5 00 p. m.
Fast Line	9 48 a. m.	7 18 p. m.
Mixed Accommodation	9 38 a. m.	6 52 p. m.
McDonald Acc'n. No. 1	11 28 a. m.	7 33 a. m.
Steubenville Accommod.	3 43 p. m.	9 48 a. m.
McDonald Acc'n. No. 2	5 53 p. m.	3 23 p. m.
Sunday Church Train	12 58 p. m.	9 58 a. m.

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	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail to and from Unt'n	7 00 a. m.	6 00 p. m.
McKeesport Accommod	11 00 a. m.	2 05 p. m.
Ex. to and from Unt'n	3 15 p. m.	10 00 a. m.
West Newton Accommo.	4 30 p. m.	8 35 a. m.
Braddock's Accommoda.	6 15 p. m.	7 30 p. m.
Night Acc. to McKeesp't	10 30 p. m.	6 45 a. m.
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THE DAILY GAZETTE.

HOME NEWS.

The Gas Committee held a meeting last night, but transacted nothing but routine business.

The Water Committee of Councils will meet this evening at seven and a half o'clock, at City Hall.

Officers of the Third Division, commanded by General Barnes, will find a notice on first page concerning them.

Allegheny Councilmen will remember to assemble to-morrow night for their regular semi-monthly meeting.

Chief Engineer Crow of Allegheny has been appointed Deputy Fire Marshal for that city by Fire Marshal Butler.

The Allegheny Police force should be enlarged. Forty-two men are not sufficient to guard the city property.

Fifteen Dollars were stolen from a milk wagon yesterday on Wylie street by several young rascals, who escaped.

Allegheny has one of the best sewerage systems in the country—an inestimable benefit in relation to the comfort and health of the people.

The Allegheny Park Commissioners and Street Committee of Allegheny Councils held meetings last evening, but transacted no business of public importance.

The first picnic came off at Iron City Park yesterday. The unpropitious weather interfered with the enjoyment of the picnicans, who had a rather forlorn time of it.

The Cars on the Troy Hill line Allegheny Passenger Railway are being repaired and thoroughly overhauled. The appearance of a bright one yesterday exhibited the need of the improvement.

John Waters and Michael McCue, in fighting humor approached the residence of Thomas Harrington Ninth ward yesterday and threatened to castigate that gentleman. Alderman Taylor has the case in hand.

The only reason why William Dillan is not not in jail for knocking William Shortall down and kicking him yesterday is because Alderman Moreland's police have not succeeded in laying their official hands upon him.

We call special attention of bankers, brokers, and dealers in stocks, to the advertisement of Messrs. Morgan, Keene & Marvin, New York, on our first page. From references shown us, we can commend the above firm as perfectly reliable and honest-dealing gentlemen.

Ruffianism.—Phil. Barman and Dan McFadden were arrested on Monday night for attacking Lieut. Gordon, of the Mayor's police, and knocking him down. They were fined $25 and costs each, and in default of payment Barman was committed to the Work House for thirty days.

Edward Purcell who lays claims to surgical skill, disturbed Margaret Harrington's peace of mind yesterday by strangely insinuating that at his earliest convenience it was his intention to disembowel her. In fear she sought Alderman Taylor who has interposed legal objections to the scientific operation.

Lizzie and Dennis Cowley, residing in the Ninth Ward had a quarrel yesterday which Alderman Taylor has been called in to settle. Lizzie says that Dennis threatened her with such violence that she cannot rest of nights, and walks abroad in constant fear in daytime. The case has been set down for disposition to-day.

Runaway.—Yesterday afternoon about three o'clock a horse attached to a light buggy ran off on Penn's avenue, in the Fifteenth ward. The driver was thrown out but not hurt. Three women were knocked down and slightly injured, and the buggy was finally wrapped around a lamppost which put an end to the exciting entertainment.

Ten Dollars and Costs.—William Adams went into No. 73 Smithfield street Monday night and attempted to break up housekeeping for the occupants of the establishment by demolishing the furniture. He smashed a marble top table and other articles of furniture. He was arrested and taken to the lockup, and yesterday morning was fined ten dollars and costs.

Indecent Assault.—Yesterday Birdie Love, a colored damsel, made information before Alderman McMasters, setting forth that "Ad." Neil, a white youth, had met her in Temperanceville a few evenings since, and when she refused to comply with his indecent demands he knocked her down. The accused will be brought before the Alderman as soon as officer Blondin can find him.

Jonas R. Butterfield, has been selected by the citizens of the Fourteenth ward to deliver an address on the presentation of a flag to the Washington Infantry. Major A. M. Brown had been selected but was compelled to decline in consequence of other engagements. Mr. Butterfield is a fine speaker, and a man of considerable talent, and will doubtless make an excellent address.

Mr. John Megraw, No. 45 Ninth street, the extensive tobacco dealer, is daily in receipt of importations of the finest brands of tobacco and cigars, together with smoking apparatus of all kinds. His store is packed full and yet the supply is hardly equal to the demand. Country merchants should drop in at Megraw's. Wholesale and retail dealers can save money by purchasing at 45 Ninth street.

The General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church will convene this evening at the First U. P. Church, Seventh avenue. A sermon will be preached by the retiring Moderator, Rev. R. A. Brown, D. D., of Wilmington, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania. The committee having the matter in charge will prepare dinner each day of the session for the delegates, reporters and invited guests.

Another Ring.—Horace Rogers, employed on a steamboat, was arrested yesterday on a charge of receiving stolen goods. It appears that Horace is a brother of the youngest of the two boys, a notice of whose arrest we published yesterday, and he alleges that the boy gave him the ring, which was found in his possession. It was identified by Mr. Dunseath, and was valued at $11.50. Horace was held for a hearing.

No table can be complete without a choice selection of Queensware. Messrs. Kier & Co., proprietors of the Keystone Pottery, have appreciated this want, and engaged in the manufacture of an article in this line which has no superior. They manufacture all kinds, from the cheapest to the finest and most costly. But all through, their ware and prices will be found unexcelled. The storeroom is at 363 Liberty street.

Heavy Discount.—Henry Mehoff says he put $100 into the hands of Casper Kierchoff, of Brownstown, for safe-keeping, and that when he demanded it again, Kierchoff handed him only $80, claiming the remainder as interest for keeping it. Henry thought the shave a little too heavy, and Alderman O'Donnell shares in the same opinion, which induced him to issue a warrant for the arrest of Kierchoff yesterday.

Held for Trial—Information was made before the Mayor yesterday morning by John Hickernell, who was robbed in Cherry alley Monday evening, an account of which we published yesterday, against Henry Cramer, Peter Willis, and William Daft, and the accused were brought out for a hearing. Testimony was conclusive as to their guilt, and the Mayor held them to bail in the sum of $5,000 each, and in default committed them for trial.

About Thirty-five Cents.—Yesterday Alderman Arent entertained the information of Christ. Woernly against Henry Kaiser for assault and battery. Kaiser keeps a saloon in the Third ward, Allegheny, and when Woernly entered yesterday he demanded thirty-five cents in payment of a little bill. Not having his request complied with, he seized his debtor's hat and held it as security. This led to the legal entertainment, which resulted in the issuing of a warrant.

The Procession—Chief Marshal Callow has issued a general order commanding Captain George Massey's and other military companies uniformed and equipped to report to General A. L. Pearson on Wood street at nine o'clock A. M. Decoration Day. All others not uniformed to report to General J. B. Sweizer, Commander of the Second division, at as early a day as possible; all colored companies not military are also ordered to report to General Sweitzer for assignment, they choosing their own staff officers.

"The Last Straw," &c.

"A Benedict," in noticing our query as to "who will start the fashion of publishing births," says:

"Hold, Mr. Editor, hold! Surely you must be a bachelor, and know nothing of the cost of babies, else you would not add another item to the already long and heavy list of expenses. Pause! Reflect! Doctor, nurse, long and short clothes, squills and soothing syrup, christenings and little shoes, &c., &c., etc., etc. All these things cost the happy (?) parents greenbacks, first, last and all the time. We can't afford an additional charge. It might be the last straw that broke the camel's back. Pray don't."

A BENEDICT.

Forgot His Tailor.

Wilson Stitt, a merchant tailor in the Seventeenth Ward, related to Deputy Mayor Nichols, yesterday, a tale of duplicity wherein he was made the victim of John Cashmere. It was in this wise: John desired a coat, and, being short of funds, prevailed upon the tailor to let him have the article on credit—to be paid for when his wages were received at the end of two weeks. The promise was not fulfilled, and, further, Stitt says he has discovered that Cashmere gets his wages every night. The magistrate promptly issued a warrant for his arrest far false pretence.

Suicide in Butler County.

On Sunday morning last, Gustavus Wolf, aged fourteen years, a son of German parents, residing about three miles north of Saxonburg, Butler county, committed suicide by hanging himself. He was a bright, intelligent boy, and remarkably healthy, and no cause is known to exist. He left his father's house about 8 o'clock in the morning in his usual spirits, and about an hour later his lifeless body was found suspended from a tree by a rope, in a grove a short distance from the house. This is the third case of suicide by hanging which has occurred in that neighborhood since the hanging of Hockenberry.

The Storm on Monday

Evening it seems extended over the whole country, and was marked everywhere by the same violence that was noted in the city. We learn that in Patton township a tree was struck and rent to shreds, that six yards from the tree stood the house of Capt. McCully, whose place is known as the Tanyard Farm; the lightening enterted this house, in which, at the time, were seated six persons, viz: John Robinson, Jacob Greenawalt, Robert McColloch, a boy named Joseph Baxter, his mother, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. McCully and her daughter. These persons were all more or less stunned or paralyzed, but quickly recovered; all felt rejoiced that having been in the pressure of a peril so eminent and so frightfull, they had escaped with their lives.

"THE BOOK OF BOOKS."

A Lawyer's View of the Bible—Its Literary Character Considered—History, Philosophy and Poetry.

Last evening Hon. H. Bucher Swope, U. S. District Attorney, delivered a very interesting lecture before the Young Men's Christian Association on the "Literary Character of the Bible." The lecture was the second in the free course inaugurated by this organization and drew together an audience of ladies and gentlemen conspicuous for intelligence and refinement, who filled to overflowing the Association's Hall, corner of Sixth and Penn streets.

The speaker was introduced at eight o'clock by W. N. Howard, Esq., and commenced by saying that to form an approximate idea of the true literary value of the Sacred Writings it was necessary to adopt some such process as that by which astronomers determined the magnitude and distance of the stars by parallel. He did not intend to express his views of each book, but rather wished to divide it and consider their parts. 1st its History, 2d. Its Philosophy, 3rd, Its Poetry. These characteristics were blended together on every page from Genesis to the close of John's sublime vision. Whilst it was, to a certain extent, intricate, yet it was perfect in every point. Its beauty was seen in its originality and in the infinite succession of combinations of thought. Herodotus, the father of profane history, evinced by his high coloring that he was but an inventor. Tacitus was not only faulty in his Latin but in many respects utterly unfit for historial composition. Macauly said of him that he told a fine story finely, but could not tell a plain one plainly. And as with ancient so with a great majority of the historians of the present day—they all exaggerated facts to suit their own hypothesises.

ITS HISTORY.

It was only when the Bible was compared with Livy and Xenophon, and Macaulay and Hume, and others in the historical world, that its purity and sweetness of style and adaptation to all men. When the events narrated were considered there could be seen the immeasurable superiority of it, to any other work in the annals of history. Its opening chapters were sufficient proof of this. There the Spirit was seen "moving on the waters" and in one breath the sublime truth was enunciated "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth" and then anon was heard the fiat, "Let there be light." Then as the dawn of the fourth day approached the twinkling stars were beheld calm and placid as the eyes of the great Being who filled them with light. The God of Day arose from his couch of purple cloudlets and guilded with brightness the deep green forest, quiet lakes, and dark rolling rivers and then was beheld the glories of the first sunset. Again it rose and exhibited the fowls of the air, the fishes of the deep and the whole creation teeming with life, and then came man, made in His own image, instinct with the breath of Deity—and the creation forever rests.

"Then the man was followed through the garden, beside the tree of life and out into the toils and curse of earth. We watch the earth filled with violence and trace the origin of music on the "harp and organ," and of the mechanic arts. We behold the world once more peopled from the survivors of the flood, and stand with the grand Patriarch and his son by the rude altar on Mount Moriah and witness the grand triumph of their faith on that same spot, where, 2,000 years after, was to be the scene of the world's sacrifice. We follow the children of Israel to that beautiful land flowing with milk and honey, and which is the glory of all lands. We stand at the foot of Sinai and tremble at its foot as the Deity comes down in that same thunder which will call the dead to judgment, we witness the giving of the Law and bow before the brightness of the Shekina, which filled the holy of holies. We see the prophet on the mountain of Gilead lay himself in that unknown grave, prepared for him by Jehovah, and then behold scenes of carnage, the mighty battles of Joshua, and see the heroism of Deborah. We follow David with his harp from the sheep fold to the throne. We hear the wisdom of Solomon, and wander through the temple, stand among the caverns of Carmel and see the fiery chariot bear Elijah on the wings of the whirlwind,—we sit at Belshazzar's feast, and see the King and his lords shrink at the writing on the wall! Anon we hear the shepherds in the fields, and follow the star to that Infinite being in the flesh, in the manger, and follow a life of humiliation for thirty-three years,—then to Calvary and behold that scene on which the sun refused to shine,—then to the tomb, where we see the Roman guard recoil before the angels. Then to Paul on Mars Hill, speaking where Socrates and Pericles have spoken, showing the great doctrine of the resurrection,—and last, with John, in that crystal grotto of Patmos, closing with the united shout of earth and heaven, until

'——— the empyrian rings
With Halleluiahs!'"

Such, briefly, is the history of the Bible—a history that is the inheritance of the race, and belongs exclusively to no age or nation.

Let us turn to

"ITS PHILOSOPHY."

This is defined by Cicero as the science of all things human and divine. It is properly divided into "physics and metaphysics."

The fears of theologians, of a conflict between science and the Bible, have vanished forever, and we learn clearly that truth cannot be inconsistent with herself, and the systems of Revelation and of nature emanated from the same Divine author. All nature has a beginning, and the geologist in all his researches finds that he has been interpreting the Mosaic vision. He turns to the Mosaic account and finds the first organic being to be that of grass, herbs, &c., and then he finds today an inexhaustible magazine of fuel for man for all purposes.

Long before Galileo attempted to read the starry heavens, the writer of the book of Job two thousand years before was acquainted with the belt of Orion, the Pleiades, the Zodiac and Arcturus. Again, the Botanical kingdom was arranged long before Linnæus or Cuvier by the wise King of Israel with a system and beauty not excelled by any naturalist of modern times. Humboldt, after spending a long life to show to posterity the beauties of the world, had to turn to the 104th Psalm and say, "That represents the image of the entire world."

Turning to the other branch of philosophy, viz: Metaphysics, which Aristotle calls the "art of arts and science of sciences," Bacon defines it as "that part of human learning which has reference to the reason, and yet when we sum up the various different truths for which we are indebted to the teachings of Plato, Seneca, Aristotle and all the host of them, we are compelled to admit that we find none. They have done all they could to increase our wisdom, and yet they have only succeeded in multiplying systems of imagination. But have like the builders of Shimar fallen into a confusion of tongues, and are not understood by themselves or those who read them.

The Bible on the other hand penetrates the heart and conscience and teaches a man he has fallen from a pure state and now the grand object of his existence is to try and regain his former virtue. And what is the meaning of this word. The word virtue has really no positive signification among the Greeks—it remained for the meek and lowly Nazarene to proclaim that virtue was LOVE—flowing in two great streams, one to the Creator and the other to His creatures. And this love is the grand key to all Philosophy which may be embraced in the Golden rule of the Bible, "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you."

THE POETRY OF THE BIBLE.

The brief glance we are to give of its poetry must be imperfect. It is impossible for the mind to conceive anything more elevated or beautiful than the poetry of the Bible. It produces its effect, not so much in what it says as what it suggests. No sooner is it read than "new forms of beauty spring into existence, and the burial places of the memory give up their dead."

The first rythmical poetry we have is the song of triumph of Lamech over a fallen foe in the presence of his wives. It occurs also in connection with the first mention of musical instruments. Next to this is the book of Job, which seems to be a combination of the varied beauties of nature. It does not matter to us who wrote it or for what purpose it was written. Neither Œschylus nor Sophocles, nor any other human author, has ever attained the grandeur and sublimity of this inestimable poem. Byron and Shelley, Gœthe and Bailey have drawn largely on its mighty inspirations, but their combined efforts, beautiful as they are, pale before its majestic and imperishable glory.

The whole poem abounds in allusions to the beauty of natural scenery. We can almost see the flash of lightning, so vividly is it described. No poet has so succeeded in expressions of sorrow and despair, with such truth of sublimity, as the author of Job. The sixth chapter is without a parallel in the annals of modern literature.

The grand climax of the poem is the arrival of the Creator on the scene, who decides and concludes the great argument. Longisnus, in his treatise on the Sublime, shows how much interrogation contributes to expression. But long before he flourished Job had recorded this speech of the Almighty, consisting entirely of interrogations, in the loftiest style, and replete with the boldest images.

"SONG OF SONGS."

This poem has justly been described as a whirlwind of poetry. In beautiful contrast with this is the Song of Songs. It is a perfect model of grace and beauty, adorned with the choicest coloring of language and with all the elegance and variety of the richest imagery. Its similes are culled from whatever is sweetest and loveliest in nature, and when to these is added the finest description of human beauty, nothing can be conceived more truly elegant and poetical than this song of Solomon.

Brief must be our glance of the Psalms. They are an epitome of the whole Bible, and of the whole number of Psalms, 71 are ascribed to David, and are all lyric. David was a poet because his whole life was a poem, and the inspirations of Heaven have shed over them a splendor which so overshadows all modern poets as like the stars they are lost to sight in the blaze of the noonday sun.

From the Psalm we turn to Isaiah, whose sublime prophecy is one long rapture. Majesty is the great characteristic of this poet, and in that passage referring to the downfall of the Assyrian King, he is most lavish of that poetical figure which elevates his style—"personification." The fir trees, cedars, even hell and the dead kings are all introduced into this passage, in joining in the song of triumph, &c.

I can only mention the rude vehemence of Ezekiel, the awful allegory of Daniel, the elegance of Joel, the energy of Hosea, the sublime melancholy of Jeremiah, the simple, touching and faultless story of Joseph, surpassing in beauty and moral grandeur the world renowned epics of Homer and Virgil.

We can only mention the poetry of Jesus. Indeed, His whole life was a poem—a poem of lowliness and grandeur, of poverty and glory, of humility and power, of angels and men, closing with the tragedy of Calvary, which heaven, earth and hell combined to render terrible.

When He was born, the brightest star stood sentinel over His manger. In His life, the winds and waves obeyed Him, and in His death, the sun refused to shine, the rocks were rent, and the graves gave up their dead.

But while there was poetry in his life there was far more in the words proceeding from his mouth. The first words we have are in the sermon on the mount, and we feel that every sentence of this magnificent cluster of beatitudes is but an emanation from the great heart of God. All the figures introduced bear upon the lesson they are intended to convey, and add beauty to it.

All the parables, too, are poems. Poems from which have sprung some of the master pieces of the schools.

"SUPERIOR TO ALL."

Having thus glanced briefly at the literary character of the Bible, are we not right to pronounce it superior to all books that have or ever will be written? The archives of six thousand years do not contain any volume in which such stupendous events, startling truths are chronicled.

In view of its great literary worth, is it not strange that we have so many clever men who do not know its contents. Could they be induced to examine its pages, they would find a feast of reason and a flow of soul richer far than all the volumes of the Alexandrian library could have furnished. We have also teachers and professors who exclude it from their scholars as a text book, and place in their hands instead the works of Plato and Aristotle, &c., &c.

The reason for this is much of its homage, which should be paid to its author, is paid to the material language. Another reason is its meagreness of translation. In James 1st's time the English language was very poor to what it is to-day, and to remedy this we want a new translation. [Cheers.]

In conclusion, let us each and all resolve to study God's great poem with renewed diligence, and endeavor to practice the beautiful teachings of its philosophy."

FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Special Meeting—The Soldiers' Monument—The Volunteer Fire Department to Participate in the Ceremonies of Laying the Corner-Stone.

The Firemen's Association met yesterday evening at their rooms, City Building, for the purpose of taking action on an invitation to participate in the ceremonies of laying the corner-stone of the Soldiers' Monument.

The meeting was organized by calling Mr. A. J. Cupples to the chair.

The Secretary, at the request of the President, stated the object of the meeting and read the following communication:

HEADQUARTERS, 2D DIVISION,
CUSTOM HOUSE, PITTSBURGH,
May 23, 1870.

CAPT. JOHN H. HARE,
Chief Engineer Vol. Fire Department.

DEAR SIR: As Commander of the Pittsburgh Division on the occasion of laying the corner-stone of the Soldiers' Monument on the 30th instant, it is my desire to make the demonstration of our city as imposing and creditable as possible.

Knowing how largely the Fire Department was represented in the army during the war, and how many of its gallant members now fill soldiers graves unmarked on every battle field, I particularly desire to have the old volunteer organization turn out in its strength on this occasion, and thereby manifest a proper respect for the memory of their fallen comrades.

Will you, therefore, do me the favor to make this request known to them and have the necessary arrangements made?

Very respectfully,
J. B. SWEITZER,
General Commanding.

The communication was received and the invitation accepted.

Mr. Paisley offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Firemen's Association of Pittsburgh having received an invitation from the Ladies' Soldiers' Monumental Association to participate in the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the Soldiers' Monument, on Monday, May 30th, 1870, therefore,

Resolved, That John H. Hare, Esq., Chief Engineer of the Pittsburgh Volunteer Fire Department, be requested to call out said department to participate in the proceedings.

Resolved, That we do hereby extend a cordial invitation to the Commissioners, Chief Engineer, Assistant Engineer and Secretary of the Paid Fire Department, to participate with us, and that carriages be furnished by this Association for their use.

Resolved, That this Association turn out in a body.

The resolutions were adopted.

Mr. Paisley moved that a committee of three be appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

The motion was adopted, and Messrs. Paisley, Ward and Irwin were appointed on the committee.

The Association adjourned, to meet Saturday evening next, to hear the report of the committee.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

THURSDAY, May 24.—In the case of Faverty vs. Bender & Co., reported yesterday, the jury found for the plaintiff in the sum of $1,524.75.

The first cases taken up were Archibald M. Marshall vs. James Andrews and William Craig, and Thompson Bell, vs. same defendants. Actions in ejectment to recover possession of six acres of land on Nunnery Hill, Allegheny city in possession of defendant. On trial.

On motion of John Mellon Esq., Joseph S. Haymaker was duly sworn and admitted to practice in this court.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

12. Hill, Patterson & Co. vs. Dillon et al.
30. Walter vs. Kelley.
31. Collins vs. Kelley.
39. Orr vs. McFadden.
43. Carpenter & Burrows vs. Berger & Co.
44. Staley vs. Porter.
46. Powell for use vs. Ferguson & Bro.
17. The city of Pittsburgh vs. Carr.
18. City of Pittsburgh vs. Shaffer.
19. Same vs. Cluley.

Common Pleas—Judge Collier.

TUESDAY, May 24.—J. C. Shaffer vs. R. C. Howard et al. Action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $104.

Wm. P. Marshall vs. John Hall. Action on book account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $49.60.

J. B. McCormick vs. John Howell. Action on book account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $13.84.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

270. Barnhill & Co. vs. McClay & Bros.
271. Reiseck & Bro. vs. Grow & Allenhausen.
272. St. Paul's Orphan Asylum vs. Barr.
273. Bright vs. School District of Plum Tp.
274. Weyman vs. McGinnis.
276. Kurtz vs. Nerburn.
277. McClelland vs. Rogers, jr.
278. Yeany vs. Duff & Ewing.
281. Thompson et al. vs. Weaver, adm'r.
282. Shaffer vs. Whitestown Coal Co.

DECORATION DAY.

What the South Side Ladies are Doing—Burgesses' Proclamation.

The ladies of the South side have entered, with spirit, into the work of assisting the committee who have charge of the arrangements for decorating the graves of the soldiers buried in the various cemeteries on the South side. The following named persons are officers of the ladies' committee: President, Miss J. McCutcheon; Vice-President, Miss Salisbury; Secretary, Miss Lottie Hammett; Treasurer, Miss M. Hamilton.

The ladies will meet at the hall of the G. A. R., on Bingham street, between 12th and 13th streets, on Saturday afternoon, May 28th inst., for the purpose of preparing the flowers for Decoration Day.

All persons having flowers to donate will please leave them at the hall of the G. A. R. on Saturday morning, where members of the committee will be in attendance to receive them.

The following named gentlemen, *and none others*, have been authorized by Post 151 to solicit funds from the citizens: Comrades G. S. Wood, H. C. Matthews, W. F. Willock, Jos. Fisher and Geo. Fowler.

The following request has been made by the Burgesses:

BIRMINGHAM, May 20, 1870.

We, the undersigned, Burgesses of the various boroughs on the South Side, would recommend to the merchants and manufacturers of the South Side that they cease operations, if convenient, in their establishments on Decoration Day, in order that their employes may unite in the procession and ceremonies of the day, as it is the desire of those having charge of the arrangements to make the day one worthy of the memory of those whom they try to commemorate.

W. C. AUGHINBAUGH, Burgess Birmingham,
C. J. SHULTZ, Burgess E. Birmingham,
HUGH LAFFERTY, Burgess Ormsby Boro,
WM. HALFIN, Burgess Mt. Washington,
B. A. M'CLAIN, Burgess Allentown.

The Proposed Female College.

The trustees of the proposed Female College held a meeting on Monday afternoon for the purpose of hearing the report of the Executive Committee.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Laughlin, Judge Sterrett presided. The Executive Committee, who have recently been soliciting funds, though as yet but a small portion of the field had been thoroughly canvassed, reported forty-five thousand dollars actually subscribed, with enough more virtually pledged to carry the sum to sixty thousand dollars.

So much encouragement was felt from this fact that it was decided that work must be commenced at once. To this end two important committees were appointed.

The first of these committees was charged with the duty of examining and reporting on *location*. They are to look the whole ground over, and recommend to the Board what, in their judgment, is the most eligible situation for an institution of the kind contemplated. The committee consists of five—Mr. Laughlin, Mr. Slagle, Dr. Brown, Mr. Joseph Dilworth, and Mr. Johnston.

The second committee consists of Rev. Dr. Howard, Mr. Scovel, Mr. Gillespie, Mr. Noble and Prof. Wilson. This committee is to ascertain and report what can be done towards securing teachers to put the College in motion this coming autumn.

The Trustees will hold an adjourned meeting in the Pastor's study of the First Presbyterian Church, at two o'clock, Monday afternoon, June 6th.

Central Inclined Plane Co.

At the last session of the State Legislature an act was passed incorporating the Central Inclined Plane Railway Company, with privilege of establishing an inclined railway at any point connecting Cliff street with Liberty. That such an enterprise will prove highly remunerative to stockholders there can be not the slightest doubt, as thousands of people will avail themselves of this outlet into the very heart of the city from the upper wards. At present, to reach any of the neighborhoods contiguous to Cliff street the great and rugged hill must be climbed, or a circuitous route of a mile or more taken by pedestrians. When the railway is in operation the upper sections will be brought into close communion with the leading business avenues and thoroughfares of the city, being within a minute's ride.

In accordance with the act of incorporation, the subscribers of the first two hundred shares of stock met yesterday at No. 128 Smithfield street, and organized the company by electing the following Board of Directors: Chas. H. Armstrong, R. A. Schnabel, Joseph M. Gazzam, N. P. Reed, Josiah King, David Steen and William Woods. Subsequently the Board organized, electing Chas. H. Armstrong President, R. A. Schnabel, Secretay, and N. P. Reed, Treasurer.

Death of a Journalist.

We are pained to announce the death of Mr. Samuel Caldwell, the market reporter of the Pittsburgh *Commercial*, who died, after a long illness on Monday morning at his residence in East Liberty. Mr. Caldwell was educated at Jefferson College, and adopted the profession of civil engineer, in which capacity he served as a surveyor on the Allegheny Valley Railroad with much efficiency He subsequently went into the Interior Department at Washington, and from thence removed to Pittsburgh about four years ago, where he became connected with the Pittsburgh *Commercial*, as commercial reporter. He was twice married and had three children. His second wife died very shortly after their marriage. He was forty-five years of age. The deceased was posessor of many good qualities of head and heart, and was very faithful in the discharge of the duties of the responsible position he held on the *Commercial*. His death will be mourned by many warm friends and admirers in this city.

EDUCATIONAL.

Meeting of the Central Board—The Soldiers' Monument.

A special meeting of the Central Board of Education was held yesterday for the purpose of taking action on an invitation from Gen. A. L. Pearson, Chairman of the Building Committee of the Allegheny County Soldiers' Monument Association, to participate in the service of laying the corner stone of the Monument, on Monday, May 30th, 1870.

Members present: Messrs. Aiken, Anderson, Chadwick, Craig, Cuddy, Fleming, Getty, Hamilton, Harrison, Hartman, Humbert, Laufman, Mays, Mitchell, Neckermann, Nobbs, Shaw, Sims, Taylor and President Wilson.

The President stated the object of the meeting, after which the Secretary was directed to read the following communication:

PITTSBURGH, May 20, 1870.

Mr. John Wilson, President of the Central Board of Education:

DEAR SIR: The Ladies Monumental Association design laying the corner stone of the Soldiers' Monument on Monday, May 30th.

I have been requested to extend to the Central Board of Education an invitation to be present and participate in the proceedings of that day. Very truly yours,

A. L. PEARSON,
Chairman of Building Committee.

Mr. Humbert moved that the communication be received, and the invitation accepted, and that the Board participate in a body. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Anderson moved that the public schools be allowed a holiday on the 30th inst. Adopted.

Mr. Nobbs moved that a committee of three be appointed to procure carriages and make arrangements for participating in the ceremonies, the expenses to be defrayed by the members individually. Adopted, and Messrs. Nobbs, Humbert and Harrison appointed.

Mr. Nobbs suggested that the members intending to participate, make known the fact so that the committee may know how many carriages to procure.

The roll was called when it appeared that there were but six willing to participate.

Mr. Nobbs then moved to reconsider the motion to participate. Adopted.

The question then recurring on the motion to participate it was defeated.

Several bills were presented and approved. Adjourned.

The Washington Infantry.

One of the most flourishing companies organized under the new militia law of the State, is the Washington Infantry. It is now up to the standard in numbers and in proficiency in drill occupies a rank second to none others of our local military organizations. Col. T. A. Rowley is in comand with Capt. McFarland as First Lieutenant and a full corps of officers whose experience was gained, in a great measure, in the field. The company comprises some of our most energetic young men, and is destined, if half their auguries are realized, to become one of the most efficient in the State.

Recently they received their new uniforms; and were especially indebted to the liberality of Messrs. John Rebman & Co., 226 Liberty street, for belts, breastplates, caps, &c., furnished at cost prices, which considerably lightened the expense, and reflects credit on the generosity of the firm. Next Saturday evening they will make their first public turnout, when they are to be the recipients of an elegant silk flag from a number of their lady friends. This is now all that remains to complete their outfit, and make the company uniformed and equipped handsomely and creditably to all interested in the success of the new organization.

Masonic.

To-morrow the corner-stone of the first German Masonic Hall in the United States will be laid with appropriate exercises, in Allegheny. R. A. Lamberton, R. W. G. M., and other officers of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, will be in attendance.

The members of the Order in Allegheny will meet at their hall at nine o'clock, sharp, and proceed to meet their brethren of Pittsburgh, who will meet at half-past nine o'clock at Masonic Hall. The following route will be traversed: Along Fifth avenue, Market and Sixth streets to the suspension bridge, up Federal street to Ohio, along Ohio to West Park, thence to North and East Parks, thence to Ohio street, along Ohio to Madison avenue to the corner of Washington, where the ceremony will take place. The affair promises to be well conducted and attended.

A Magistrate Sued.

Yesterday Mr. Joseph Caldwell made information before Alderman Mullen against Alderman L. R. Lindsay, of Allegheny, for assault and battery. The deponent is a painter and states that he did some work about a number of houses in the Third ward, of which Lindsay is the agent. The bill was presented and payment refused, Lindsay giving as a reason that the tenants had not yet paid the rent. This, however, Caldwell alleges was an error in the Squire's reckoning. He went back to the office after ascertaining the fact from the tenants, and again demanded the money, when he alleges the official exponent of peace assumed a warlike propensity, and ejected him forcibly from his office,—hence the suit. Lindsay was arrested, but waived a hearing and gave bail for court.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The entertainment given at the Opera House last evening by the Richings English Opera Troupe, as was generally anticipated, was a magnificent one. The opera presented, "Postillion of Lonjumeau," was new in this city, and as Mrs. Richings, who is a general favorite here, was announced as the Prima Donna, of course the house was crowded. This evening the romantic and spectacular opera "Lurline," will be given.

CAMPBELL'S.—The "Campbell's are coming," and will bring with them the largest collection of wild animals ever exhibited in a menagerie, and in connection with this grand menagerie there will be an excellent circus entertainment. They commence a season of three afternoons and evenings on Allegheny Diamond, Monday, the 30th inst.

The Colored People and Decoration Day.

The colored people are moving in relation to Decoration Day. Last evening a meeting was held in their school house, on Miller street, to take some action looking to a full turnout. D. W. Atwood presided, with Wm. L. Miller as Secretary. The object was discussed at considerable length, when Messrs. W. L. Miller, D. W. Atwood and Mr. Pulpress were appointed aids to the Chief of Staff of Pittsburgh Division. Capt. Geo. Massey was appointed, but declined in favor of Mr. Atwood. Messrs. Pulpress, Woodson, Lloyd, Massey Jr., Neale, Arnet and Sampson were then appointed a Committee on Finance, to secure funds for the music, &c., after which the meeting adjourned until next Friday evening, when the matter will be further considered at the same place.

Hungry and Thirsty.

Are you hungry drop in at the Continental. Are you thirsty drop in at the Continental. It is very convenient. Just one door below the Postoffice on Fifth avenue. Its just the place for hungry or thirsty humanity. Whatever you want to eat or drink ask for and it will be forthcoming. Variety, abundance, nutritious, and very appetizing is the character of the viands. At any hour of the day or night you can be accommodated. The restaurant is for the accommodation of the people and as such performs its mission well—in which it is not excelled in the city. Remember, just below the Postoffice on Fifth avenue.

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The beautiful spring weather with which we have been favored the past few weeks has given a great impetus to travel, which is evidenced by the immense patronage enjoyed by Liebler within that time. His establishment, No. 104 Wood street, is the centre of attraction for all in need of traveling gear.

The Woman's Suffrage Association displayen commendable wisdom by avoiding any "mixing up" with the McFarland case and instructing all their friends to purchase traveling trunks valises or satchels at Liebler's, No. 104 Wood street. Liebler can supply all demands.

Pine Apples, oranges, dates, figs, foreign fruits, nuts, ice cream and confectionary, at Youngson's, cornor Smithfield street and Diamond alley.

When comparisons have been made by skillful mechanics between rival sewing machines their judgment has been invariably in favor of Singer's Improved machine.
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The Spring Stock of Henry G. Hale, Merchant Tailor, at corner of Penn avenue and Sixth street, is now large and complete. Monsieur Bonpain continues to preside at the cutting. tf

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Fresh Shell Oysters received daily, at Holtzheimer's Continental Saloon, next door to the Post-office.

All the spring styles for the ladies at Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

Clam and Turtle Soup, at the Continental, to-day.

Hard Shell and Deviled Crab, at Holtzheimer's Continental Saloon.

Fine sun umbrellas at Moorhead's, 81 Market street.

The Village of Findley—Descent on an Illicit Groggery.

CLINTON, May 23, 1870.

EDITORS GAZETTE: The above named village, on Friday last, was made more notorious for drunkenness, rowdyism and blackguardism than ever was known of in that place before, and that is saying a great deal, for it always has had the reputation that I think no other village should desire. Your readers may think strange of this, as it is well known that we have a prohibitory liquor law in Findley township, but the facts are we have a man in the village who has been smuggling whisky for some time in such a way that it was hard to catch him by law. On Friday there was an Indian show to exhibit in the place, and I suppose as he had evaded the law so long successfully he concluded that Friday should cap the climax in the history of Clinton. Fighting, drunkenness, rowdyism and profanity were the order of the day from early in the morning until evening, when the scenery began to change by officers of the law making their appearance on the stage and ordering the arrest of some half dozen of the most prominent actors, amongst them the proprietor of the doggery. Information was made against him for selling liquor without a license, selling to minors, assault and battery, and I can't tell what else, but I think this strange day's proceedings will be unravelled in Judge Sterrett's court in a short time, when your readers will get the news more in detail. I think it would be well for some of the officers not far from the Court House to have fitted up some private apartments for the special benefit of parties from Findley township who may desire to take lodging and spend a short season in the city after court is over.

A FRIEND OF LAW AND ORDER.

DIED:

McCABE—Monday, May 23d, at half-past one o'clock P. M., Mrs. BRIDGET McCABE, wife of James McCabe, aged 53 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of James McCabe, No. 70 Ross street, at 9 o'clock WEDNESDAY MORNING.

KENNA—On Tuesday morning, May 24th, at 2 o'clock, MARGARET KENNA, in the 22d year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, on Webster avenue, Pittsburgh, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FASS—On Tuesday morning, May 24th, 1870, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of his son, Mr. J. M. Fass, No. 5 Old avenue, MICHAEL FASS, aged 79 years and 6 months.

Funeral TO-DAY (Wednesday), at 2 o'clock P. M. from the residence of his son, No. 5 Old avenue, Allegheny City. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CLOWS—On Monday, May 23, at 4 o'clock P. M., WILLIAM CLOWS, aged 72 years, at his residence in Sharpsburg.

Funeral THIS AFTERNOON, May 25th, at 2 o'clock P. M. Services at 1½ P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ THE DIAMOND SAVINGS BANK—The Stockholders of the Diamond Savings Bank, Pittsburgh, will meet for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting at the Monongahela House, on THURSDAY, May 26, at 3 o'clock P. M. my24

OFFICE OF MONONGAHELA INSURANCE CO.,
N. E. corner of Wood St. and 4th Ave.,
PITTSBURGH, May 23d, 1870.

☞ DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of FOUR DOLLARS PER SHARE on the Capital Stock of the Company, out of the earnings of the last six months, free of Government tax. Payable in cash forthwith.

my24:x49 JOHN H. CLANEY, Secretary.

☞ ANNUAL MEETING.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH AND BOSTON MINING CO.,
PITTSBURGH, May 24th, 1870.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the PITTSBURGH AND BOSTON MINING COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, will be held at the office of the Company, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

my24:x35 THOS. M. HOWE, Sec'y and Treas'r.

☞ NOTICE.—A meeting of the Stockholders of the CENTRAL INCLINED PLANE CO. of Pittsburgh, will be held TUESDAY, May 24th, at 3 o'clock P. M. at No. 128 Smithfield street, to elect a Board of Directors and transact other important business.

my23:x33 R. A. SCHNABEL.

☞ STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—A Meeting of the Stockholders of the PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY will be held at the Office of the Company, on THURSDAY, June 2d, 1870, at 3 o'clock P. M.

W. H. McCLELLAND,
my19:x20 Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAS CO.,
May 10, 1870.

☞ BY DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES of this Company, until further notice, the price of Coal Tar will be

ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS ($1.25) PER BARREL.

And that of Coke will be four (4) cents per bushel in the yard, and five (5) cents delivered within the usual bounds.

W. H. McCLELLAND,
my16 Treasurer.

☞ A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the FIFTH AVENUE BANK of Pittsburgh will be held on THURSDAY EVENING, June 9th, at 8 o'clock, in THUM'S HALL, No. 241 Fifth avenue, for the purpose of amending Constitution and approval of By-Laws.

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☞ DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of the Fifth Avenue Bank have this day declared a dividend of $3 per share, free of Government and State Taxes, payable on and after June 1st next.

my13:w89 F. E. SCHENCK, Cashier.

☞ PUBLIC NOTICE.—Having been appointed GAS and GAS METER INSPECTOR for Allegheny county, notice is hereby given that until the necessary office and Mechanical Testing Machinery can be provided, I will be found at the OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL FOUNDRY AND PIPE WORKS, Twenty-third street, near Penn, Pittsburgh.

R. H. SMITH,
fe23:n56 Gas and Gas Meter inspector.

☞ BOUNTY.

$100 Bounty Collected

For all soldiers who enlisted between May 4th and July 22d, 1861, who were discharged for disability before serving two years, and who have heretofore received no bounty.

The undersigned has removed his office to GAZETTE Building, corner Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, and is now prepared to collect claims speedily and at moderate rates. Call on, or address, with stamp,

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CANDIDATES.

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

GEORGE NEELEY,

Of Marshall Township, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

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☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

BENJAMIN DOUTHETT,

Of Indiana township, is a candidate for County Commissioner, in subordination to the decision of the Republican Convention. Est modus in rebus.

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NORTHERN

Pacific Railroad.

To Railroad Contractors.

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 120 BROADWAY, corner of Cedar street, New York, until WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the Grading, Masonry, Bridging and Ballasting of that portion of the Northern Pacific Railroad in the State of Minnesota, extending from the Dalles of the St. Louis river to the Red river, the western boundary of Minnesota (a distance of about 230 miles), including everything requisite to complete the roadbed for a single track, and necessary side tracks, ready to receive the rail superstructure.

The said Company will also receive proposals, at the same time and place, for the timber cross-ties, and for the iron rails, spikes and fixtures for the road as above. The iron rails to be delivered on the dock at Duluth, Minnesota, or at the crossing of the Mississippi river, and the ties received according to blank forms, which will be ready for distribution on WEDNESDAY, May 4, 1870, at the office of the Company, as above, where plans of the structures, and maps and profiles of the road, with full specifications, can then be seen, and the time allowed for the completion of the contracts made known.

The Company reserve the right to reject any or all bids not deemed to be for the interests of the Company.

Printed circulars containing full information will be furnished on application, by mail or otherwise, to EDWIN F. JOHNSON, Chief Engineer, or to the President of the Company, at the office, No. 120 BROADWAY, as above.

J. GREGORY SMITH,

President Northern Pacific Railroad Co.

NEW YORK, April 26, 1870. my16

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And Others,

TAKE NOTICE!

The undersigned has letters patent of the United States for the improved construction of weather-boarding, inside lining and of wainscoting for houses. The weather-boarding, by this patent improvement, being more particularly intended for vertical use, and combines great durability and beauty of appearance; and it is so constructed as to entirely avoid the use of joint strips, and to prevent water from entering the joint of the gaping or the showing of the joints by the action of the weather on the timber.

Inside lining and wainscoting by this new method are so constructed as to form perfect panels as cheaply as by the ordinary flooring boards alone; thereby preventing the showing of the joints from any cause, and leaving no refuges for bugs.

He has also purchased the patent right of what is commonly known as the "Moulded Weather-boarding."

He has disposed of the following territorial and shop rights in Allegheny county, for both patents, to wit:

To G. A. Mundorff, the right of the territory south of the river in said county.

To McQuewan & Douglass, the right for the First ward, Pittsburgh.

To Hill, Patterson & Co., shop rights for their mill, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh.

To Alex. McClure, for the borough of McKeesport.

To Parker & Paul, for First, Second, Third and Fourth wards, city of Allegheny.

To Reed Brothers, shop right at their mill in Seventh ward, city of Allegheny.

To Dunham, Saint & Co., for the boroughs of Sharpsburg and Etna; also the townships of Shaler and Indiana.

All persons are warned against infringing upon either of said patents, and those wishing to purchase will please call, or address me, at No. 75 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

fe J. C. ANDERSON.

SPECTACLES.

THE EYE.

Dr. FRANKS, the celebrated Lecturer on the Eye, and Manufacturer of Patent and Improved Spectacles, has returned to Pittsburgh, and is now at the ST. CLAIR HOTEL, where he adjusts his far-famed Spectacles to defective vision from an examination of the eye alone, so as to suit equally well by day as by artificial light without fatigue, from 15 to 25 years. Dr. F. may be professionally consulted on all diseases of the Human Eye, and has a large stock of his Spectacles and Eye Glasses for sale. About 4,000 pairs of these Spectacles were sold on Dr. Franks last visit in the space of three months, giving the most entire satisfaction to all, as the medical gentlemen and citizens of Pittsburgh have by certificate testified.

Be particular and enquire at the Ladies' entrance on Penn street for Dr. Franks office, ROOM 22 St. Clair Hotel. ap15:STTH

OFFICIAL.

ALLEGHENY

AN ORDINANCE—Relating to the Public Parks of the City of Allegheny.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. All persons are forbidden to enter or leave the Park grounds, except by the gateways.

SEC. 2. To climb or walk upon the fence.

SEC. 3. To throw stones or other missiles within the grounds or on any of the streets surrounding the same.

SEC. 4. To cut, break, or in any way injure or deface the trees, shrubs, plants, turfs, or any of the buildings, fences, seats, bridges, fountains, or other construction upon the Park.

SEC. 5. No threatening, abusive, boisterous, profane, or indecent language shall be allowed on any of the Park grounds.

SEC. 7. No person shall be allowed to tell fortunes or play at any game of chance at or with any table or instrument of gaming, nor to do any obscene or indecent act whatever on the Park grounds.

SEC. 7. No person shall put or otherwise affix any bill, notice, or paper upon any structure or thing within the grounds, nor upon any of the fences enclosing the same.

SEC. 8. No person shall, without the consent of the Park Commission, or officer in charge, play upon any musical instrument within the grounds, nor shall any person take into, or carry or display in the Park, any banner, target or transparency.

SEC. 9. No military or target company, or civic or other procession shall be permitted to parade, drill or perform upon the Park any military or other evolutions or movements.

SEC. 10. No dog shall be allowed upon any portion of the Park grounds, unless led by a chain or proper dog string, not exceeding five feet in length, nor shall any person be allowed to lead any quadruped (except dogs) in the Park.

SEC. 11. No person shall bathe or fish in, or go, or send any animal into any of the waters of the Park, nor disturb any of the fish, water fowl, or other birds in the Park, nor throw or place any article or thing in said waters without the consent of the parties having charge of the Park.

SEC. 12. No person, except those employed in the Park, shall light, make, or use any fire upon the grounds, smoking excepted.

SEC. 13. No person on foot shall go upon the grass, lawn, or turf of the Park, except where and when the word "Common" is posted, indicating that persons are at liberty at that time and place to go on the grass, (except persons at work on the Park.)

SEC. 14. No person shall fire, discharge, or set off in the Park, any rocket, cracker, torpedo, squib, balloon, or fireworks of any character whatever, or fly any kite of whatever kind.

SEC. 15. No person shall expose any article or thing for sale upon the Park, or any of the sidewalks surrounding the same, nor any hawking or peddling be allowed.

SEC. 16. No person shall turn into the Park, nor allow any any animal whatever to run at large on any of the streets surrounding the same.

SEC. 17. Seats marked "For ladies," shall be exclusively for ladies and gentlemen accompanying them.

SEC. 18. No vehicle of any kind whatever used for carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil, or other articles, (except those employed on the Park grounds,) shall enter within the inclosure, and pleasure carriages shall only be driven on the roads designated drives, and at a rate not faster than a walk.

SEC. 19. That for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance, the penalty shall be a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars, together with the cost of making good any damage done to anything in the Park, the same to be recovered summarily upon conviction before the Mayor.

SEC. 20. It shall be the duty of the police on the Park, and all policemen of the city, to arrest all persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 21. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, conflicting with the foregoing are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the 12th day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.
Attest: J. R. OXLEY,
Clerk of Select Council.
HENRY WARNER,
President of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH,
Clerk of Common Council. my23

AN ORDINANCE—Relative to the office of Fallmaster of the City of Allegheny.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the office of Fallmaster of the City of Allegheny is hereby created, and the Councils of said city shall, as soon as practicable after the passage of this ordinance, elect one person to fill said office. Said Fallmaster shall give a bond for the faithful performance of the duties of his said office in the sum of $1,500, with one or more sureties, to be approved by the Finance Committee. Said Fallmaster shall hold said office during good behavior, and shall be removable in case of misconduct by the votes of two-thirds of the Councilmen present.

SEC. 2. That all animals dying in said city, other than those slaughtered for the public consumption, shall hereafter be removed by the owner or owners beyond the city limits within six hours from death, in default whereof it shall be the duty of said Fallmaster to remove said animals and dispose of the same for his own use without charge. In case such animal shall have died of such disease as shall render it necessary to bury, or shall be so far decomposed as to be unfit for use, the owner or owners shall pay to said Fallmaster for said removal as follows: For each horse, mule or ass, $5.00; for each bull, ox, cow or heifer, $5.00; for each calf, sheep, goat or swine, $2.00; for each dog, $1.00.

SEC. 3. That in all cases where any animal shall die in said city, and the removal thereof shall be desired by the owner thereof, or required by this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the owner to make report immediately at the Mayor's office, in a book to be provided for that purpose, of that fact, and said Fallmaster shall thereupon, within twenty-four hours thereafter, remove said animal.

SEC. 4. That it shall be the duty of said Fallmaster to remove any dead animals lying and being in any of the rivers, streams, streets, avenues, alleys, parks or private grounds for which no owner can be found. If the same shall be so far decomposed as to be unfit for use, or shall have died of such disease as shall render it necessary to bury them, the Fallmaster shall be paid out of the City Treasury for such removal the same sums as directed hereinbefore to be paid by private owners for the same service. Provided, That before any such animal, the removal of which is intended to be charged is actually removed, the said Fallmaster shall give notice to the Mayor of such fact, and it shall be the duty of the Mayor thereupon to ascertain whether such removal is properly chargeable to the city, and said Fallmaster shall obey the decision of the Mayor in regard thereto.

SEC. 5. That said Fallmaster shall have provided for him by the city a place of temporary deposit for all dead animals; said place to be fenced at least eight feet high by said Fallmaster.

SEC. 6. That it shall be the duty of said Fallmaster to remove all dead animals in wagons covered with a tarpaulin, and during the night time, to such place of temporary deposit beyond the city limits before day break.

SEC. 7. That any owner or owners neglecting or refusing to give notice of the death of any animal, which may be required by this ordinance, to be removed by the Fallmaster, or shall refuse to allow the same to be removed by him after the expiration of the time limited for the removal by the owner or owners, or shall throw any dead animal in any of the rivers, streams, streets, avenues, alleys, parks or private grounds of said city, shall be punishable by fine not exceeding $10, to be recovered before the Mayor summarily.

SEC. 8. That the Schindery to be established by said Fallmaster, shall be located at least three miles outside of the city limits.

SEC. 9. That it shall be unlawful for any person any person or persons to throw any poison or poisoned eatables, on any of the streets, avenues, alleys, parks or private grounds of said city, under penalty of a fine not to exceed $20, to be recovered by summary conviction before the Mayor of said city.

Ordained and enacted into a law this 28th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.
Attest: J. R. OXLEY,
Clerk of Select Council.
HENRY WARNER,
President of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH,
Clerk of Common Council. my23

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
ALLEGHENY CITY, May 17th, 1870.

TO SEWER CONTRACTORS.—The Sewer Commission of the City of Allegheny are prepared to receive proposals for the following Sewers, with their appurtenances, inlets, manholes, &c.

CONTRACT No. 1.

Comprising about 1,020 feet of 18 inch Circular Pipe Sewer on Sherman avenue from Ohio street to Marion avenue.

CONTRACT No. 2.

Comprising about 190 feet of Circular Pipe Sewer on Ann street.

Drawings and Specifications can be seen and full information obtained at this office.

Bids must be endorsed "Sewer Proposals," Contract No. 1 or No. 2, and delivered on or before 3 P. M., May 24th, 1870.

Forms of Proposals, on which forms alone bids will be received, will be furnished at this office.

The Commission do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any bid.

CHARLES DAVIS,
my17 CITY ENGINEER.

CITY CONTROLLERS' OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, May 23d, 1870.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received in this office until THURSDAY, May 27th, at 5 o'clock P. M., for

CLINKERS.

Bidders will specify the rate per yard, which price will include their delivery along the Wharf at whatever points designated by the Committee on Wharves and Landings; also the placing of the same.

W. M. PORTER,
my24:x39 CITY CONTROLLER.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
ALLEGHENY CITY, May 14th, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers report on the opening of LANE ALLEY, from its present terminus to Jefferson street, having been approved by Councils, the assessments of benefits therefor are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer for sixty days from this date, and if not paid within that time liens will be filed for the amounts with interest and costs.

W. M. PORTER,
my17:x4 Controller.

NOTICE TO PAINTERS.—Sealed PROPOSALS will be received at the office of Controller of the City of Allegheny, until TUESDAY, May 24th, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the Painting of

City Hall Building and Market House.

Specifications of proposed work to be seen in the City Engineer's office. Bids to be for City Hall and Market House separate, and for both.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W. M. PORTER,
my20 Controller.

NOTICE TO WHITEWASHERS.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received in the office of Controller of the City of Allegheny, until TUESDAY, May 24th, for the

Whitewashing of the Market House

and Whitening of the ceilings of the various rooms and halls of the CITY BUILDING.

For further information concerning the character of work, inquire at the office of the City Controller.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W. M. PORTER,
my10 Controller.

PITTSBURGH.

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH, PA., May 12th, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all holders of Overdue Municipal Bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, to forward them to this office for Payment. No interest will be allowed on such Bonds after July 1st, 1870.

By order of the Finance Committee.
my12 R. J. McGOWAN, Controller.

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No. 67 Water street,
ALLEGHENY CITY, May 20th, 1870.

Notice is hereby given that the annual Lists of Special Taxes, formerly termed Licenses, and of the Taxes on

Incomes, Carriages, Watches, Silver Plate, &c.,

Are now in this office, where payment will be received thereon by the Collector, on and after the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, 1870. These taxes having become due, must be paid before the 25th day of June, 1870, otherwise additional expenses will be incurred by the tax payer.

E. BUFFINGTON, Esq., Deputy Collector for the County of Armstrong, and EDWIN LYON, Esq., Deputy Collector for the county of Butler, will be ready to receive after the 1st of June, for their respective counties, and will post notices designating the time and places when and where they will be prepared to receive the taxes collectable by them. Taxes paid only in greenbacks or national currency. Office hours from 6 A. M. to 3 P. M.

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